"This world would be a great old world if we were satisfied with everybody as some people are satisfied with themselves."

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CALL WILSON REPLY GREATEST WAR NOTE

London Editors Praise President for Forcible Answer to Peace Offer.

London, Sept. 1.—The Saturday Review, referring to President Wilson's note to Pope Benedict as "the most forcible state paper issued during the war," says:

"We cannot remember that ever before the sovereign of a great nation with an army and a fleet in existence has been told that he is a liar and a chief with whom no treaty can be made. This terrible insult, so amply deserved, comes with great effect from a nation that is not like Britain, an European rival of Germany, and cannot be described as jealous of German trade."

The Pacifist Nation describes President Wilson's style as "the most effective that any living statesman possesses," but as a practical document the note approaches the formula of no peace with the Hohenzollerns.

APPROVAL BY FRENCH.

Paris, Sept. 1.—Although members of the French government have not commented publicly upon President Wilson's reply to the Pope, the Associated Press is informed in authoritative quarters that President Wilson has defined with absolute clearness and force the attitude of all the Allies. The President is regarded as having increased the unity of action among the Allies since America's entrance into the war by his having raised the issues of the war to the highest level of right. The President, it is held, escapes entanglements with controversies on a lower plane and takes the lead in placing the Allies upon an unshakable moral ground refusing to consider questions of mere expediency.

All the newspapers continue to discuss the note in the most approving terms. The Temps tonight says of the deply, which was printed prominently in all the morning newspapers:

"The note exhales good faith and by itself justifies the confidence we have that our cause will win a final victory."

BITTER GERMAN COMMENT.

Berlin, via London, Sept. 1.—President Wilson's reply to the pope's peace note was published generally by the newspapers this morning and in the editorial comment Mr. Wilson is bitterly denounced on the score of the note's tone and tendency. The Lokal Anzeiger says:

"President Wilson declines the pope's mediation with the same mass of swollen phrases with which he has already satiated the German people. We are told that the war is not being waged against the German nation, but against their masters.

"The absolute mendacity of Mr. Wilson's phraseology becomes apparent when his dictum as to the rights of nations who are capable of shaping their own destinies is opposed to the wish of the German people to be governed by these very 'masters' Mr. Wilson, therefore, does not intend to give us our liberty, but to deprive us of liberty to arrive at our own decisions.

"This war has exposed in its nakedness much that is low and contemptible; its remaining task was to exhibit a hero like this coldly calculating mathematician, whom a singular fate in a momentous hour has given the power over one hundred million people."

KICK OUT GOVERNMENT.

The Hague, Sept. 1.—Two leading organs of Holland's diplomatic capital agree that President Wilson's answer to the pope's peace proposals do not bring nearer a cessation of hostilities. The Nieuwe Courant describes the answer as fresh war declaration clothed in pacific garb and an invitation to the German people to prove their desire for peace by rising in revolt.

The Vaderland heads its comment with the title "Wilson's Answer is Not Made for Europe," and says it can only truly and fully satisfy the Russian Maximalists for the "central peoples are left no choice but to kick out their governments."

ITALIANS COMMEND NOTE.

Rome, Friday, Aug. 31.—"President Wilson has put forward the great struggle between might and right in such a decisive way that it is impossible to wave it away by slight of hand," says the Tribune, in commenting on the note to the Vatican.

"In his reply President Wilson shows himself in accord with the Pontiff regarding the aims, but not regarding the means," said Augusto Ciufelli, the former minister of posts and telegraphs and a member of the Italian mission, to the Associated Press.

"The great comfort is that America and President Wilson are absolutely determined that peace shall be just and lasting, to achieve which any sacrifices must be made."

HAS SPOKEN FOR ALL.

Paris, Sept. 1.—The Excelsior commenting on President Wilson's note, says:

"The Allies may well consider that President Wilson has spoken for all. What can they add to his declarations? Nothing essential. President Wilson said all there was to say."

ITALIAN CRITICISM.

Rome, Friday, Aug. 31 (delayed)—Criticism of the form in which President Wilson replied to Pope Benedict's peace note is voiced by the Osservatore Romano and the Corriere D'Italia, reflectors of Vatican opinion, which take up this point without entering into the merits of the presidential response, their comment contrasting American cleveress in business with what is alluded to as an American lack of knowledge of diplomatic usages.

The criticism is based, for one thing, upon the reply being signed by Secretary of State Lansing, while the papal note was signed by Pope Benedict himself. This, according to these newspaper critics, required that the answer be signed by President Wilson himself.

Objection is also made that the reply was telegraphed which is pointed to as not in accord with diplomatic usage for such important documents, which are invariably despatched by courier.

How Germans View Situation

Paris, Sept. 1.—President Wilson's note being virtually addressed to the German people, there is more than usual interest in the latest account of the German people's condition and feelings as related by an army nurse named De Winne, a Belgian, who has just returned after thirty-four months o feaptivity in Germany. As a nurse he enjoyed special favor and comparative liberty and visited Munster, Soltau, Hanover, Gottingen, Dusseldorf, Cologne, Aix La Chapelle and Karlsruhe. With regard to the spirit of the Germans he said:

"The Germans believe that Germany was attacked and is only defending her existence. Not only do the plain people repeat this, but intellectual, doctors and officers, with whom I talked, are so convinced of it.

"The English are detested; the French are admired for their courage, the Russians are despised as savages. As for the Americans, the Germans maintain they will be no help to the Allies from a military point of view, but they are more and more terrified at the universal reprobation they feel is rising against Germany.

"The working classes rail against the military class, the Prussians and the crown prince, but believe that the Emperor desires the end of the war by a peace of conciliation, but is thwarted by the crown prince and the military leaders."

GERMANS TREAT WAR PRISONERS LIKE SLAVES

Escaped Belgian Tells How Subjugated Peoples Are Forced to Face Death and Disease.

Washington, Sept. 1.—Further evidence of the disregard of the Germans for the rights of prisoners of war and of subjugated people has reached the State Department in the story of an escaped Belgian. Exposed to shell fire and gas attacks and unprovided with protective masks, the enslaved natives are being compelled to work just behind the German fighting lines, he asserted, where the unsanitary conditions brought disease to those who escaped death or injury incident to battle.

PROTEST RELATIVES.

Because relatives of the fugitives are yet within the acquired German territory the state department has eliminated from his report all names of individuals and the localities.

PRISON AND BLOWS.

"It was no use trying to protest," one of them is reported as saying. "It only meant more trouble and misery—prison and blows. The Germans are only too glad if you do resist. They have made a rule to send to Germany any man or woman who gets more than three months imprisonment. And none of those who have been deported have come back after his time.

"Six months ago one of my neighbors, a widow, who had to protect her daughter against a German officer, received four months for having said on this occasion that all Germans were pigs. She was sent to Germany and we have haerd since that she is obliged to work in a kommando and has no hope of returning before the end of the war. This is only a case among a hundred. The German tribunals have provided many thousand workers for the fatherland."

Gerard Answers Hollweg on Peace

Hamilton, Mont., Sept. 1.—James W. Gerard, former ambassador to Germany, who is visiting at the Daly Ranch near here, took issue today with Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the former imperial chancellor of Germany. Mr. Gerard issued a statement in which he contradicted the declaration of the former German chancellor that Gerard had drawn on his imagination in the publication of his memoirs. "Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg," said Mr. Gerard, "apparently did not have the exact copy of my articles, for if he had read them, he would have seen clearly that I said the peace terms described were the German peace terms and not the opinions of the chancellor. I wish to say that Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg said he himself was always subject to the rule of the military party of Germany and could not follow his own desires.

"As to the ethics of my articles, all I wish to say to that is that old time diplomacy which Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg advocated has plunged almost the whole world into the bloodiest war of history. When the people of a nation know what is going on in the seats of government, such wars cannot happen.

Americans Must Remain Patient Says Pershing

Paris, Sept. 1.—Major General Pershing, who has remained in Paris clearing up the work at his old headquarters and who is not going to field headquarters until Sunday or Monday, declared today in connection with the plans for the coming winter, that the American people must learn the meaning and value of patience, and not expect that the expeditionary forces landed in France can be rushed immediately to the front line trenches.

MUST BE PREPARED.

To put an inadequate, insufficiently supplied force into actual combat, he said, would merely be making a mistake, which the Germans unquestionably have hoped and expected the United States would make. It is the determination, rather, that when America does take her place in the line, shoulder to shoulder with the other Allies next year, she will be fully prepared to go through the summer campaign and make the Germans feel the full weight of her military power.

"Those of us who have fully studied the situation know what is necessary to be done," said General Pershing to the Associated Press, in concluding a summary of the situation.

HAMMER FOE HARD.

"We know that the only way to defeat the German army," he said, "is to hammer it well and keep on hammering it. That is what we expect to be doing with all our fresh strength and enthusiasm during next year's campaign. But until we can properl ytake our place in the line, the people must be patient and as confident as we are, who know what we are doing and what we must do."

Training Camp Men Get Holiday

Fort Sheridan, Ills., Sept 1.—A majority of the 4,000 student officers at the second training camp here spent their first holiday in Chicago today. The vacation came at the close of the first week of the camp, which according to Colonel J. A. Ryan, commandant, has seen the men started on the grind of instruction that leads to army commissions.

Today's furlough was proceded by a general vaccination of all the men. Forming in line two abreast they filed by a corps of army physicians, and at the rate of five per minute were inoculated against typhoid and small pox. Four thousand were given the serum before noon. At 1 o'clock leave of camp was granted until 5:30 o'clock tomorrow night. Colonel Ryan enthusiastic over the progress this week.

TO END INQUIRY ON COLONEL NEXT WEEK

Washington, Sept. 1.—Investigation by a senate military affairs subcommittee of alleged pro-German statements of Colonel Carl Reichmann, nominated to be a brigadier general, today approached a conclusion. The two principal witnesses—both women—Mrs. James Anderson, of Victoria, B. C., wife of a Candian officer, and Mrs. E. B. Faison, wife of Brig. General Faison—were under cross-examination all day and the sub-committee expected to complete its work early next week.

Little new information was secured today by the sub-committee. Mrs. Anderson, it was stated, said Colonel Reichmann had been quoted by Mrs. Faison, justified the sinking of the Lusitania by declaring Americans should be kept off the vessel, having been warned.

SPANISH OFFICIAL HELD FOR TREASON

Madrid, Sept. 1.—Arrest of Deputy Marcelino Doming and the order to the government that he be tried by court-martial for treason is the subject of bitter denouncement by Catalonian deputies. They ask officially that Domingo be tried before the supreme court and not by court-martial.

The publicist, Ariquistian, has been arrested on a charge of conspiring against public order.

EXPECT NEW WEST ATTACK BY ALLIES

Numerous Signs in Flanders and Austro - Italian Fronts Threaten Assaults.

With the closing of a week of comparative inactivity along the western fronts numerous signs of a revival are apparent.

In Flanders the British guns are again thundering the threat of renewed infantry thrusts against the German lines. The French, while comparatively quiescent in the Verdun region, are giving another display of their successful dashing tactics in the Aisne region.

On the Austro-Italian front General Cadorna apparently has aligned his forces for another drive in force on the Bainsizza plateau, and is again edging forward toward Triest, on the Carso.

While the Italian offensive has the aspect of larger importance, the French assault in the Hurtebise region on the Aisne front Friday evening was perhaps the most interesting development of the twenty-four hours. In one sweep, after brief artillery preparation, General Petain's troops drove the Germans out of their trenches along a front of nearly a mile on the Chemin-des-Dames and pushed the French lines forward more than three hundred yards. The newly won ground was held against three counter attacks, Paris declares.

From the Russo-Roumanian front the German claims of successes are growing less comprehensive. Field Marshal von Mackensen's drive against the Moldavian lines northeast of Kokshani does not seem to be gaining the force which it promised to attain for a time and press dispatches have reported the Roumanians hopeful of retaining Moldavia in spite of heavy Teutonic pressure.

Petrograd reports the repulse of and attack on the Roumanian lines in the Kokshani region. Berlin claims German forces carried a hill position there after a stiff fight.

There is more artillery activity than usual along the Russian northern front, but no pronounced movement against Riga, such as was suggested by Friday's Petrograd advices, has as yet developed.

I Macedonia, the Entente troops have attacked at several points Berlin repulses for Italians, Serbians and French in attempts upon the German-Bulgarian lines.

High War Tax Opponents Win First Contest

Washington, Sept. 1.—Voting began today in the Senate's contest revenue bill and in the initial clash the so-called radicals met decisive defeat. The Senate rejected, 62 to 17 the amendment of Senator Johnson, of California, leader of the high tax group for a maximum levy of 80 per cent of this year's war profits, estimated between three and four billion dollars, instead of $1,268,000,000 provided in the bill. Both sides tonight claimed victory as a result of the first test vote today, which was preceded by spirited speeches by leaders including Senators Johnson and LaFollette for the high tax group and Lodge, Simmons and Penrose of their opponents. The so-called conservatives were confident the LaFollette amendments and others proposing higher war tax profits taxation all will be rejected.

Although determined to continue the fight next week for higher rates, many of the radical group tonight privately conceded defeat. A few thought it possible they could carry an amendment for a flat tax of 40 to 50 per cent, but others admitted the committee provision probably would stand.

"We do not hesitate to break hearts, to break bodies," he said, "but we hesitate to take profits made out of our blood and bone."

Senator LaFollette said at least $2,000,000,000 of distinctive war profits should be taken by the government, citing the profits of the past war period would be left undisturbed and normal peace time profits as well.

Chairman Simmons and Senators Lodge and Penrose made spirited explanatory replies, to the effect that the committee had not changed its provisions for war profits taxation, but had acceded to the demand for increases by providing for further taxation of ordinary excess, including peace period profits.

Labor Conditions Best in History

Springfield, Ills., Sept. 1.— Never since the first Monday in September was set aside as Labor Day, has labor found more favorable working conditions than now, according to Barney Cohen, director of the Illinois Department of Labor, in a statement issued tonight, appropos of Labor Day.

Reports from the six free employment bureaus in the state indicate that both skilled and unskilled labor is in great demand, Mr. Cohen declares.

"Both employer and employe are better protected by legislation in Illinois than ever before," he concluded, "and what is a favorable sign is that this protection is in a progressive, rather than retrogressive stage."

11 OF EVERY 1,000 KILLED IN ACTION

Washington, Sept. 1.—About eleven soldiers are killed in action or die of wounds in each 1,000 of mobilized strength o nthe western European front, according to figures compiled by the committee on public information, based on the report of M. Tardieu, French high commissioner, that during the Marne and Charleroi battles casualties were 5.41 per cent of the mobilized strength, and estimates of military experts in this country that fatalities have never exceeded 20 pe rcent of the casualties. This applies only to British, French and Belgian troops.

NATIONAL MARK FOR RAPID FIRE SHOT

Springfield, Mass., Sept. 1.—L. P. Casteldini, of this city shot what is claimed to be a national record for rapid firing with revolvers at fifty yards this afternoon, turning in a score of 221. The old record was 214.

Pacifists To Quit Chicago

Peace Advocates Disband and Say Delegates Accomplished Purpose.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—A statement was given out this evening that the delegates to the peace council decided at secret meetings this afternoon not to attempt further meetings in Chicago. It was said debate centered on whether to go to Minneapolis, as originally planned, or to Washington to seek federal id.

COMMITTEE DISBANDS.

The organizing committee of the People's Council of America for Democracy and Peace disbanded here tonight. Louis H. Lochner, executive secretary, issued a sttement to that effect and stated that the delegates had accomplished their purpose.

BARRED FROM 4 STATES.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—The summary dispersal of the meeting of the organization committee of the People's Council of America for Democracy and Peace here this afternoon by police, under order of Governor Lowden, added Illinois to the forbidden states of Minnesota, Wisconsin and Utah. Seymour Stedman, the local Socialist leader and former candidate of that party for governor, who was chairman of the meeting, and a few others concluded that they wanted to be arrested to make a test case, but the police, gently moving them out, declined to make arrests. The delegates soon dispersed, leaving only blue-coated guards at the doors of the place.

Mayor Thompson did not see the situation as did the governor. The mayor was at his summer home at the suburb of Lake Forest.

Wilson Calls Young Men to Serve Nation

Washington, Sept. 1.—Young men between the ages of sixteen and twenty-one not now employed are called on by President Wilson to serve the nation by joining the United States boys working reserve. In a letter made public today by Secretary Wilson of the labor department, the president says it is the patriotic duty of these young mon, to use their spare time in productive work, and help support the nation in the present crisis. The president's letter follows:

"Permit me to express my great appreciation of the work undertaken by the United States boys working reserve of the employment service of the department of labor. To give to the young men between the ages of sixteen and twenty-one the privilege of spending their spare time in productive enterprises without interruption in their studies at school, while their older brothers are battling in the trenches and on the seas, providing for the forces at the front, and the maintenance of those whose services are needed here. It is a high privilege, no less than a patriotic duty, to help support the nation by devoted and intelligent work in this great crisis."

ODD FELLOWS HOME HAS NEW ADDITION

Lincoln, Sept. 1.—When school opens for the children of the Illinois Odd Fellows' orphans' home here Wednesday, the children will enter one of the most modern and roomy school rooms in the state.

A large addition to the school was built this summer. Two rooms for the fifth, sixth and seventh grades have just been completed, a music room has been added and the chapel and gymnasium enlarged. The addition affords a most commodious school building.

U-Boat Also Hit In Battle

Copenhagen, Sept. 1.—In connection with the successful British raid on a German armed trawler fleet this morning, the German trawlers, according to various accounts, continued to fire after seeking refuge inside Danish territorial waters. The British raid appears to have caught not only the trawlers, but several submarines. The latter were compelled to submerge so hastily that some members of the crews were unable to enter the hatches and were left swimming in the water.

American Ship Reported Sunk Safe in U. S. Port

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Sept. 1.—The American schooner Rostellan erroneously reported sunk June 10, by a German submarine, arrived here today. Captain Miller witnessed the destruction by a German submarine of the American barkentine Hilegaard, the day his own vessel was reported sunk. British patrol boats attracted by gunfire from the submarine wirelessed for larger patrol boats which towed the Rostellan to safety.

KNIVES BETWEEN TEETH USED IN ITALIAN CHARGE

Rome, Sept. 1. — Italian soldiers fighting in the Bainsizza plateau sector of the Isonzo front, struck terror into the hearts of the Austro-Hungarians by charging with knives held between their teeth, according to statements made today by wounded men sent to the rear. The iron division, the most famous unit of the Austro-Hungarian army has been so badly shattered that it has been sent to the rear for re-organization.

MEXICAN BANDITS RAID TEXAS RANCH

Eagle Pass Tex., Sept. 1.—Mexican bandits crossed the Rio Grande twenty-five miles south of here today and raided the Indio ranch, driving off about thirty head of cattle. The bandits are believed to have made their way back across the river.

Soldiers who have been stationed here recently were withdrawn.

GERMAN TROOPS ON AUSTRIAN FRONT

Udine, Sept. 2.—German troops appeared for the first time on the Carso front Thursday morning, according to Austrian prisoners. The Austrians are rushing reinforcements to the Italian front from the Russian-Roumanian front, the prisoners say.

Iowa Preacher Admits Killing Eight With Ax

Logan, Ia., Sept. 1.—On the eve of his trial for complicity in the Villisca axe murders of 1912, Rev. Lon George J. Kelly, itinerant preacher, it was announced by J. E. Risden, state agent, that he signed an unqualified confession that he had slain eight persons with an axe, and then through his counsel made a complete repudiation.

Kelly's repudiated confession was made Friday morning in the presence of Attorney General H. M. Havner, Sheriff M. D. Myers of Harrison county and others. In his statement Kelly admitted that the text of a sermon he had heard "Slay utterly" caused him to kill. A voice, which he believed to be that of God, led him and guided him in his crime, the preacher declared in his confession.

TURK SOLDIERS IN BERLIN TO SQUELCH RIOTS

Washington, Sept. 1.—Circumstantial reports that Turkish troops armed with machine guns, have been mobilized in Berlin and other large German cities to put down possible peace demonstrations or bread riots, reached administration circles here today.

They came from an American traveler who has recently been in Germany and has just reached a neutral country.

The reports were made public without comment and without any official of the government vouching for their accuracy.

The reason for drafting the Turkish troops, the report sent here said, was that German troops would not shoot down German women, children or old men, the only ones who would be able to participate in any such demonstrations.

EXPERT TO TRY HAND IN EAST ST. LOUIS

East St. Louis, Ill., Sept. 1.—An efficiency expert will be employed to re-organize the departments of the municipal government, it was announced today. Mayor Mollman, after a conference with members of the Chamber of Commerce agreed to engage such an expert. He will be selected by the members of the police board.

GERMANS LOSE 4 MINE SWEEPERS IN NAVAL CLASH

British Light Forces Wreck Trawlers Off Coast of Jutland.

London, Sept. 1. — Four German mine sweepers were destroyed today off the coast of Jutland by British light forces, accorling to an announcement issued tonight by the Admiralty.

CLEARING ROUTE FOR SUBMARINES

Copenhagen, Sept. 1.—A naval engagement occurred this morning between British and German mosquito craft off Nyminde Gab, west coast of Jutland. British destroyers attacked four German armed trawlers and drove them ashore. All four trawlers seem to have been destroyed.

A Rinkiobing newspaper says the British continued to bombard the trawlers after they grounded completing their destruction.

About one hundred German seamen were landed, many of whom were severely wounded. Medical assistance was sent from Rinkiobing, the nearest large town. One rumor has it that one hundred dead have come ashore, but apparently this is a distorted version of the fact that about one hundred men reached shore.

"The German craft were presumably patrolling and mine-sweeping, to clear the route for German submarines."

German airplanes and submarines, according to one account, took part in the fighting.

A semiofficial Danish report says that four German trawelrs were driven ashore near Rinkiobing Fiord and that the crews were landed. The remainder of the fleet of German armed trawlers fled to the south.

U. S. TIGHTENS GRIP ON FOOD EXPORTS

"Americans and Allies First," Board's Ruling on the Grain Cargoes.

Washington, Sept. 1.— Indications that the United States intends to ration the northern European neutral countries in the strictest fashion were seen today in the admission that the exports administrative board has disapproved of an arrangement suggested by the Dutch Minister here and the Belgian Relief Commission for division between Holland and Belgium of the nearly 100 Dutch grain cargoes held in American ports.

The first news that permission for the ships to sail had been denied came today in a dispatch from Rotterdam. The general understanding had been that the arrangement would be approved and that some of the vessels would sail immediately.

NO CARGOES FOR 2 MONTHS.

The exports board, it was learned, will let no food cargoes go to European neutrals for at least two months, or until the American government has ascertained its own food requirements for the year and the situation of corps that are to be harvested. All of the neutrals, it is held, feed themselves without difficulty until this information is available. The United States wishes to know also the size of corps to be harvested in the neutral countries this fall.

AMERICANS FIRST.

It was made clear that the United States has no intention of letting neutrals go hungry but emphasis was placed on the fact that the government feels its first obligation is to the American people, and to the Allies.

DIVIDE UP PLAN.

A counter proposal that has been made to the Dutch, which the other neutrals are invited to accept, is that all neutral vessels now in American ports loaded with foodstuffs discharge their cargoes and proceed to Australia and Java for wheat and sugar. These cargoes would be brought back to the United States and divided between the United States and the neutrals.

NEUTRALS MUST HELP.

American government officials feel that in asking the United States to supply them with foodstffs, the neutrals should be willing to increase the general food supply. This they would do in transporting food cargoes from Austrlia and Java, where large supplies cannot be moved because of the general lack of shipping.

The neutral ships would have returned within two months and by that time the United States would be in a better position, also, to say how much it can spare from its own food store.

Will Not Fix Price Of Beans

San Francisco, Sept. 1.—The national food administration will not fix prices for beans unless hoarding or speculation makes this necessary, said Clay Miller, president of the California Bean Dealers' association, today. Mr. Miller has just returned from Washington, where he spent several days in conference with administrators over the food control act.

Blight Damages Potato Crop

Washington, Sept. 1—America's potato crop will not reach expectations. Reports to this effect reached the food administration today. Late blight and insects are destroying thousands of bushels of potatoes every day.

Thee weeks ago the food administration estimated that there would be 117,000,000 bushels of potatoes produced in America this year over the normal crop. The average normal crop is 350,000,000 bushel. Today they place these estimates at only between 60,000,000 and 80,000,000 above normal. The danger of frost may pull this estimate even further down.

There is no present indication however, that there will be an abnormal price on potatoes this winter.

The food administration declares potatoes will sell for much less than they did last year.

STATE HAS RIGHT TO OPERATE MINES

Springfield, Sept. 1.— Illinois has a right to seize and operate the coal mines of the state in the exercise of the power of eminent domain and through police power, according to the opinion given by Governor Frank O. Lowden by Attorney General Edward J. Brundage.

The attorney general has decided that the "power of the state to take private property for public necessity."

The attorney general holds that the authority to take property by eminent domain rests in the legislature and that while the legislature may exercise this power directly, it usually exercises it through duly accredited agencies. When so delegat which the power is exercised is limited to the express terms or clear implication of the statute.

Lexington Has Near Race Riot

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 1. — The streets of Lexington tonight are being patrolled by armed mounted and foot soldiers of the Kentucky National Guard and the civil authorities have augmented their night police patrol as the result of a series of outbreaks in the principal streets today between soldiers and negroes who have been flocking here for a week from a fair nearby.

All is quiet, but suppressed excitement and ill-feeling is apparent tonight and threats of further trouble are heard. However, with the additional guards, the authorities believe the yhave the situation in hand.

SOME SATURDAY TEMPERATURES

Chicago, Sept. 2.—	7 p.m.	High.	Low.
Boston	62	68	56
Buffalo	70	72	66
New York	66	70	64
New Orleans	76	88	78
Chicago	62	86	64
Detroit	76	80	60
Omaha	72	74	60
Minneapolis	66	70	54
Helena	66	68	40
San Francisco	58	62	54
Winnipeg	54	[illegible]	42

THE WEATHER

Chicago, Sept. 1.—Following are the weather indications for Illinois for thirty-six hours, ending at 7 a. m. Monday:

Unsettled Sunday, cooler in northeast Monday; partly cloudy.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Coonradt, United States weather observer:

SATURDAY.

7 a.m.	65
Noon	85
7 p.m.	77
Highest	87
Lowest	57

THE ALMANAC.

Sun rises (Standard time) 5:29.
Sun sets 6:30.
Moon—Last quarter Sept. 8.
Day—Thirteen hours, 4 minutes.
Two hundred fifty-fifth day of year.
Seventy-third day of summer.
Day's decrease since June 21, 1 hour, 58 minutes.

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FORMIDABLE LOOKING

Machine Gun Pokes Nose Out of Turret.

A light armored automobile, mounting a machine gun in its turret is in Decatur enroute from Philadelphia to St Louis overland The car arrived at 7 30 o'clock Saturday evening in charge of Captain U. C Artz and Lieutenant W Crandell of Philadelphia L M Rumsey and Lieutenant P Housum of St Louis It was placed in a local garage Saturday night and will resume its journey this forenoon

BOUGHT BY MISSOURI

"It is what is called a light armoured motor car, the kind recently acquired by the United States government,' said Captain Artz Saturday night when seen at the Hotel Orlando, where he and his companions are stopping 'This car was purchased by patriotic citizens of Missouri for the Machine Gun company of the Third Missouri Infantry The car and crew weigh 6 500 pounds We left Philadelphia just a week ago tonight, and our speedometer shows 1,350 miles. We passed through a snow storm crossing the Katskill mountains

"We only had on light weight uniforms, and we all have bad colds We found the roads good until we struck Illinois Near Christian we found the worst stretch of road on the entire trip The roads were pretty good the last thirty-five miles The car will run sixty-one miles an hour It is armored to withstand the regulation United States army bullet fired from a distance of 100 yards We are not due in St Louis until Tuesday morning, and will loaf along the rest of the trip

"We left Indianapolis at 9 30 this morning and reached Decatur at 7 30 this evening We made several stops to get meals and did not try to hurry. We have no tire troubles as the car used pneumatic filled tires They dont want us in St Louis until Tuesday There is a big celebration there then and we are to loaf outside uiltil ready to get into the parade"

FORMIDABLE LOOKING

The car is a formidible looking engine of war, with its revolving turret from which a machine gun has its nose poked threateningly out The two rear wheels are double each having two tires Two steel skids a foot wide are carried on the sides of the car, taking the place of fenders By using the skids the car can cross a ditch ten feet wide The inside of the car is roomy and is heavily upholstered The outside is a dull gray about the color of the mud that almost covers it On the sides "Third Missouri Infantry Gun Company St Louis" is painted The car stood in front of the Hotel Orlando for awhile and attracted a lot of attention

Maroa Bandsman Joins the Navy

PHOTO BY WASSON STUDIOS
RUSSELL PARLIER.

Russell Parlier of Maroa will leave Tuesday to begin his enlistment in the naval service He will play in the naval band

HE IS 17 AND HIS WIFE 42

Clyde Kirkendall Arrested on Sullivan Charge.

George Wright 21 0 East Condit street, was arrested Saturday evening for disturbing the peace of Harry Tertocha Mr Wright gave bond to appear before Justice Noble at 1 o'clock Sept 10

Clyde Kirkendall 657 East North street was arrested Saturday evening for Sheriff Funston of Sullivan who will come for him today Kirkendall is said to be a fugitive from justice He is about seventeen years old and his wife forty-two

NO MEETING.

There will be no meeting of the Rotary club Monday, because of Labor Day The next meeting of the club will be held on Monday Sept 17.

STALEY EMPLOYES IN BIG PICNIC

First Annual Outing Will Be Held at Faries Park.

SPECIAL I. T. S. CARS

Many Amusements Are Planned for Day.

The Staley Starch Works will close down tight next Thursday and 400 of its employes will enjoy the first annual picnic of the Staley Fellowship club in Faries Park The Fellowship club, organized last April includes all employes about 400 in number and in addition to being a benefit association has many social affairs

The picknickers and families will go to the park on interurban cars several specials being provided in addition to the regular cars The special trains will leave Decatur at 9 and 10 45 a m and returning in the evening will leave the park at 7 and 10 45 p m These cars will stop at the transfer station Wabash crossing, Geldert block I C crossing I C crossing Grand avenue and Jasper street and the Jasper and Garfield corner Parcels will be checked by a special man on each special car

AMUSEMENTS OF DAY

The day will be devoted to games beginning a ball game between the married and single men and dancing The dancing will be all afternoon and evening with orchestra music Ice cream and soda will be furnished free to all Staley employes, members and their families The committees in charge of the various arrangements are as follows

Arrangements—[illegible] Moreland Gale Lantz [illegible]

Refreshments—[illegible] Adamson William Pollock Roy Klopp

Reception—Ed Smith Robert Patten John Heine

Transportation—M P O'Brien K P Sherman [illegible]

Athletics—[illegible] Kotzenbach W R Hawking R E Willis

Dance—W H Broadbeat [illegible] Kruse Herr Wagner

Fire Fighting—[illegible] W Thornbrough [illegible]

Refreshments—[illegible] Pelch [illegible] T W Kregenow [illegible] and [illegible] Pollock [illegible]

BALL GAME

The ball game will begin at 10 o'clock and the first prize will be two boxes of cigars The [illegible] will get one box of cigars the [illegible] to take out a home run will win [illegible] and the first three bagger get [illegible] cigars [illegible] will be [illegible]

[illegible] Pursuit [illegible] Prize [illegible]

[illegible] Boys race for all under [illegible] cigars [illegible] Prize $1 2 [illegible] Prize [illegible] cent [illegible]

[illegible] Girls race for all under [illegible] years and under First prize $1 [illegible] second prize [illegible] box of candy

[illegible] Shoe race for [illegible] years and under First prize $ [illegible] shoes second prize $1 [illegible] knife

[illegible] Crawling race for girls under [illegible] years First prize $1 [illegible] silk hose second prize $1 [illegible] toilet water

[illegible] Egg race for boys from [illegible] to 20 years First prize [illegible] second prize $1 shirt third prize 50 cent pair of hose

2 45—Ladies nail driving contest First prize, 25 lb. sack of flour, second prize, 75 cents worth of coffee.

3 00—Blindfold race for men First prize $2 hat, second prize, $1 tie third prize package collars

3 15—Fat man's race, 185 pounds or over. First prize box cigars, second prize $1 box cigars, third prize, one humidor of tobacco valued at 85 cents.

3 30—Ladies' sewing contest. First prize 10 lbs sugar second prize, half dozen bars toilet soap.

3 45—Men's free for all race First prize $2 hat second prize $1 50 scarf, third prize six collars

4 00—Tug of war for men Winners get fifty 10 cent cigars

4 15—Tug of war for boys and girls under ten years Baseball prizes for boys and hair ribbons for girls.

4 30—Swimming contest for men First prize jersey sweater second prize cap

4 45—Boat race for men First prize $1 50 cigar pouch second prize 75 cent cigar holder

5 00—Club race for men First prize $3 jersey sweater second prize $1 50 cap third prize one pair silk hose

6 00 Guessing contest for all Prize $5

TENTH REGIMENT MEN IN DECATUR

Lieutenant Wilson Sergeant Dayton Corporal Moreland and Privates Clark and Hamilton of Company H Tenth regiment arrived from Springfield Saturday evening to visit friends until some time Monday Some of them will be at the Guards' armory all day today to enlist any new men who may care to join the company

DR. A. L. WARD'S FUNERAL MONDAY

Services at Family Residence on West Wood.

Funeral services for Dr. A. L Ward will be held at 3 30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the family residence, 1290 West Wood street The interment will be in Fairlawn cemetery Friends may call at the Wickoff and Son chapel until 10 o'clock Monday morning

General regret was expressed everywhere Saturday at the news of the death of Dr Ward The dead physician had been a leader in his profession and was regarded as a careful, painstaking and thorough practitioner The Ward family is said to have used milk which came from the Trump dairy and the disease may have originated from that source

OTHER FUNERALS.

MRS FRANCES E JONES

The funeral of Mrs Frances E Jones will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schweinbold, 1334 North Clinton street The interment will be in Fairlawn cemetery.

MISS LULU I. KELLER.

The funeral of Miss Lulu I Keller will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the residence, 2036 North Monroe street, and at 4.30 o'clock at the English Lutheran church The services will be conducted by Rev Rev G Catlin

MRS NANCY E SCOTT

The funeral of Mrs Nancy Elmira Scott will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Presbyterian church in Mt Zion The interment will be in the Mt Zion cemetery

LOUIS C BAKER

The body of Louis C Baker will be taken to Kenney at 10 30 Monday morning and the funeral will be held there

MISS ETHEL QUINLAN

The funeral of Miss Ethel Quinlan will probably be held some time Monday

DEAN L. WILCOX

The funeral of Dean Edward Wilcox, infant son of Mr and Mrs Archie Wilcox, was held at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the residence, 1157 South Dorenda street. The services were conducted by Rev. A J. Jockisch, pastor of Sargent Methodist church.

The music was furnished by Mrs O G Prather, Cleda Workman and Louella Fletcher. The flowers were in charge of Pearl Hale, Verna Owen and Mildred Cavanaugh. The interment was in Greenwood.

RICHARD H SUTTON

The funeral of Richard Harvey Sutton infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Lemon Sutton will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the residence, 715 East Whitmer street. The services will be conducted by Rev. R E Henry, pastor of the First Christian church The interment will be in Fairlawn cemetery

HAMMOND'S ANNUAL HARVEST PICNIC

Goodman Band of Decatur Will Be an Attraction.

The seventeenth annual harvest home picnic to be held at Hammond Sept. 5 6 and 7, promises to be by far the biggest picnic ever held at Hammond, the home of big picnics. The people have been working hard to make this the biggest and best of all The Goodman band of Decatur has been engaged to play for the three days, and this is evidence that the musical end of the program will be well cared for.

Other free attractions are: Hammond's Harmony Four, a musical organization second to none the Weaver Concert company, which never fails to please, Wee Jennie, Scotch singer and dancer of international fame, and Nelson's trained dogs

REV. R. E. HENRY BACK FROM TRIP

Pastor and Family Attend Hancock County Fair.

Rev Robert E Henry and family returned from Carthage Saturday, where they have been visiting for the past ten days. They attended the Hancock County fair there, which was one of the most successful fairs which the county has ever held. One day last week there were 15 000 persons at the fair

The party made the trip in their car and found the roads in the western part of the state in excellent condition

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BETTER FURNITURE seems to be the new household slogan. It is spreading like wild-fire all over the country. Everybody is beginning to ask for it. The woman who makes the home nowadays is not satisfied with poor quality and unattractive patterns.

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RESTFUL FURNITURE -to make Living Rooms Comfortable!

[illegible] rest we [illegible] limbs [illegible] nerves it is necessary to have restful comfortable chairs These are essential to the comfort of a man whether he comes from a hard day's labor and has been on his feet all day or whether he comes from an office where he has been sitting on a hard ill shaped chair with no chance to lean back and rest and nothing to lean on if he had the chance

How much a big roomy springy upholstered chair means you will never know till you come home some night to find its welcoming arms and capacious cushions ready to receive you That's why we urge restful furniture and show a most extensive assortment of upholstered and cane living room pieces—pieces of real comfort

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Pay only $1.00 cash and your name will be entered in the club and the Joy delivered to your home at once

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The JOY saves fuel because of extra tight construction The doors are carefully fitted—there are no loose joints no leaks When one coal is used the SPECIAL HOT BLAST BACK WALL saves [illegible] per cent in fuel—it introduces heated air over the flames causing unburned gases which would escape as black smoke to burn

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Bedroom Furniture -beautiful, worthy -Choose from Wide Variety Here!

A little piece in the popular fancy has been found by the daintily tinted Ivory furniture for the bedroom, which is so extremely fashionable just now The designs are all of simple lines, the chief beauty lying in the exquisite Ivory tint and in the ornamentation of either carved design or of delicately tinted sprays of flowers also a note of beautiful walnut suites are appearing on the sales floors Queen Anne designs in rich antique brown mahogany play a prominent part Everything of the newest is here for your selection and to aid you in having a distinctive home

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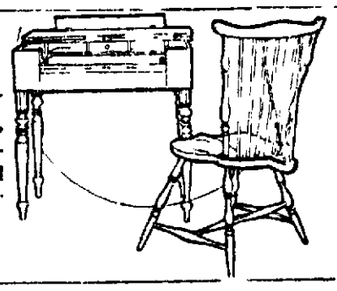
This Antique Brown Mahogany Hall Clock $66.50

This beautiful hall clock is equipped with Swiss movement and chimes the half hour and the hour The case is made of beautifully grained mahogany and rubbed dull This is a gracefully designed well made piece that is joy to the beholder and a source of complete satisfaction to the owner

This Antique Brown Mahogany Spinet Desk $44.00



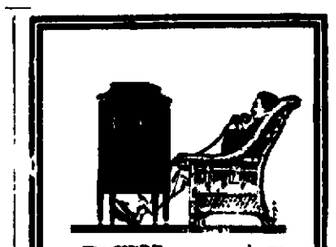
This spinet desk is one of the choicest of the new designs in ladies' writing desks. The top slides out, making an extra large writing space. The compartments are full envelope size and the finish is a dull rubbed satin on brown mahogany. We show many other woods.

30 Different Patterns to Select From

The Big Grey Store Is The Only Place In Decatur Where A Genuine FRENCH WILTON May Be Purchased

The Big Grey Store is the Decatur Home of the celebrated FRENCH WILTON RUGS No place else in this section can sell genuine FRENCH WILTONS. There are a host of cheap imitations, but there is only one GENUINE FRENCH WILTON—the rug that is unexcelled.

Beware of unscrupulous dealers who offer cheap imitations. The genuine FRENCH WILTON has the name woven into the back of the rug—LOOK FOR IT. THE FRENCH WILTON is made in 27 regular sizes and also woven in special sizes to fit any room. It is the finest Wilton rug woven.



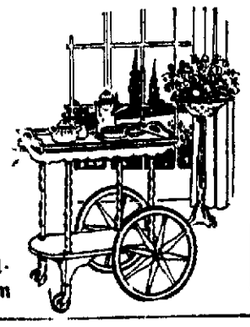
THERE is no [illegible] harm in the Vocalion [illegible] there is no [illegible] shading with the [illegible] expression device [illegible] phrase there [illegible] perfection in the [illegible] of the Vocalion [illegible] Nine out of ten find these Vocalion "points" so overwhelming that they admit at once the Vocalion's superiority to every other instrument of the phonograph type. Come in and hear a Vocalion recital. We think you will be one of the nine.

The AEOLIAN VOCALION

ARE YOU HOUSE HUNTING.

If you are anxious to locate a new place of residence consult the FREE RENTAL BUREAU at the Big Grey Store Lists of houses throughout the entire city

This Walnut Tea Wagon With Removable Tray $18



The tea wagon has now reached the position of a common necessity for every well furnished dining room It saves hosts of steps and is ideal for service

The wagon shown is made of black walnut and has 4 rubber tired wheels and large removable service tray.

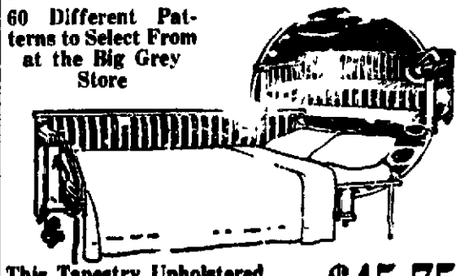
20 Different Patterns to Select From

Hand Painted Bed Room Lamps $5.25

These lamps have hand painted shades in Japanese designs and the pedestals are also hand decorated They are excellent values and of the newest designs the market affords There is shown in our extensive display quite a host of new silk shades in all shapes

75 Different Paterns to Select From.

60 Different Patterns to Select From at the Big Grey Store



This Tapestry Upholstered Pullman Davenport $45.75

The frame of the davenport pictured above is made of solid oak and is in a nut brown fumed finish heavily waxed Upholstered in a good grade of tapestry This style davenport makes a full size bed with but a single motion It is a genuine PULLMAN

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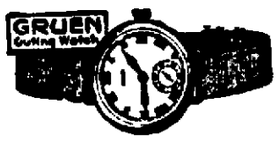
A special showing of the celebrated Gruen Wrist Watch now ready for you. Come in and let us show you what a reliable time-piece it is—how safe and secure from damage its sturdy construction makes it.



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JEWELERS

156 E. Main Street

"Everything in New Jewelry"

CAME TO DECATUR IN THE YEAR 1852

Uncle Henry Martin Was 79 Saturday.

Uncle Henry Martin, one of Decatur's well known and popular veterans, celebrated his seventy-ninth birthday anniversary Saturday.

Mr. Martin is one of the old time residents of Macon county and this section. Born in Circleville, O., Sept. 1 1838, he came to Piatt county in

HENRY MARTIN.

1850 where he made his home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Martin They had settled on a farm of some 2,000 acres in 1849 which William Martin owned about six miles west of Monticello Mrs Jane Johns who is Henry Martin's sister, also came with her parents to Illinois in 1849 Mr Martin was delayed a year in coming west as he was attending an academy in South Salem, O.

CAME IN 1852.

About 1852 Mr. Martin's parents moved to Decatur, then a straggling village. He recalls vividly early scenes in this city when mud was hub deep on now the principal paved business streets of the city.

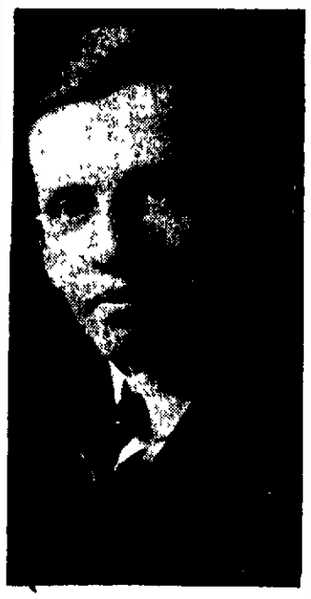
In 1859 Mr. Martin started farming on his farm north of the city. In 1871 Mr. Martin and Miss Carolina Collada were married. They resided on the farm until Mrs. Martin's death in February, 1915. Mr. Martin moved to this city following the death of his wife and has since resided at 271 West North street.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN.

For almost fifteen years Uncle Henry Martin served as justice of the peace of Hickory Point township, and during that time heard many cases and officiated at several weddings. He is a veteran of the Civil war, having served his first enlistment of three months in the Eighth Illinois Infantry in which he enlisted in April, 1861. At the expiration of this enlistment, he again enlisted in the Seventh Illinois Cavalry in September, 1861, and served until he was mustered out at Nashville Tenn., in November, 1865 at the close of the war. He is a member of Dunham post, G. A. R, No. 141

He was a member of Post No 1, the first organized in the United States, until it disbanded a few years ago.

SOON TO FRANCE



CHESTER CAMP.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest D Camp, Rural Route No. 8, Decatur, who is with the 149th Field Artillery. He left Chicago Wednesday with his regiment for Long Island and from there expects to be sent to France. Chester graduated from the D. H. S in the class of 1916. Stuart Wood of Decatur belongs to the same battery.

U. S. MAJOR TAKES HIS OWN LIFE

Vancouver, Wash, Sept. 1.—Major Henry A Roberts, Fourth United States engineers, was found dead in his quarters at the cantonment here today with a gunshot wound in his head. A board of inquiry found that the wound was self-inflicted

LOVINGTON YOUTH IN AMBULANCE CORPS

GUY WINGATE AND WIFE.

LOVINGTON MAN SIX YEARS IN NAVY

Lovington, Sept. 1.—Guy Wingate, son of Mrs. Will Roland, of this city, has had a long and eventful career in the service of his country He spent six years in the navy and enlisted as an ambulance driver in the army a few months ago. He is now stationed at Allentown, Pa

During his service in the navy he spent two years at the naval station in New port, R. I, ten months as first class hospital apprentice in the Philadelphia navy yard, a year in Chicago at the naval station, four months in Cuba, one month in the New York navy yard, nine months in Mexico during the uprising there, and a short period in France, and the navy yards at Norfolk and New Orleans

Mr. Wingate and his wife have been here for a visit the past two weeks, since he was granted a furlough He returned to Allentown, Pa, last week.

He expects to be elevated to an instructor in the service Mrs Wingate will remain here for the present, but will go later to Chicago to make her home with her parents.

NOTED WRITER SAYS WILSON IS RIGHT

London, Sept. 1—"President Wilson's reply to the pope is really a message to Germany," said George Bernard Shaw today in an interview with the Associated Press. "Reduced to the vernacular, it means: 'become a republic and we will let up on you; go on Kaisering and we will smash you'

"The president knows what he is fighting for"

OFFICERS PAY FOR OWN UNIFORMS

Each Man Required to Supply His Outfit.

We have seen the Decatur boys that went away as civilians to the officers' training camp at Fort Sheridan. We saw and admired them when they came back in natty uniforms with chins set at a more aggressive angle and shoulders a little squarer. We know that the three months hard grind in camp put something into them to stay, something of fighting spirit, a great deal of discipline.

But this is to mention merely the external appearance, the uniforms etc. We are used to the sight of khaki but those boys came back in uniforms not made by any army contractor in lots of a hundred thousand. They were made by real tailors. The boys were naturally proud of their commissions and wanted their uniforms to fit their rank. And everybody who saw them is glad that they did.

GOT AFTER TAILOR.

"Did you order your new uniform before you received your commission asked one Decatur boy who would get into the officers training camp of another boy who had just come back a second lieutenant.

"I did not," said the lieutenant, "but after I got the commission I sat on that tailor's neck until the uniform was finished"

It is no small job for an army officer to live up to his rank. He has to equip and feed himself unlike the enlisted man who is furnished every thing he needs in the way of clothing and food. The bare necessities of an officer's equipment are numerous and expensive. Of course these young officers who will go to the cantonments to train the new national army can get along with less than the full equipment but when they go to the front their equipment will have to be complete.

HERE'S PARTIAL LIST.

Here is a partial list of what the fully equipped officer needs:

One serge uniform for dress.
Two khaki uniforms for field service
Puttees or boots, depending upon the branch of the service, of pigskin if possible but of horse hide when no pig skin is to be had as is the case now.
Shoes to match the leg gear.
A service hat and a dress cap.
A gold and black hat cord.
Insignia for blouse and shirt.
White shirts and collars for dress
Flannel shirts for service
Field glasses.
A rain coat or slicker
Map case.
Compass.
Wrist watch
Folding bucket
Folding wash basin.
Folding lantern.
Toilet articles.
Two blankets.
Two sheets.
Two pillow cases.
One cot.
One mattress.
One pillow.
One mosquito bar.
One clothing roll.
One trunk locker made to fit in an army transport.
One haversack.
One canteen.
One canteen cover.
One cup.
One knife, fork and spoon.
One pack carrier.
One first aid packet.

The government supplies his pistol holster and belt but he must buy his own sabre.

DECATUR LEADS IN PATRIOTISM

History Making Events In Which Our City Was First.

The effective patriotism of Decatur, patriotism which is not composed of rising when something like the Star Spangled Banner is sung, or attending flag raisings, has caused one Decatur citizen to break forth into a prose poem or recital of incidents in the earlier life of this city which would indicate that the fire of patriotism burned here then as fiercely as it does now. He says:

DECATUR—The first Illinois home of Abraham Lincoln was at Decatur.

DECATUR—The first call for a Republican state convention in 1856 was issued by a convention of Illinois editors at Decatur.

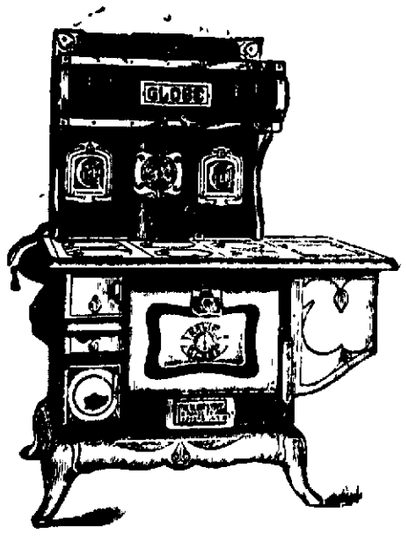
DECATUR—The first mention by an organized political body of Abraham Lincoln for the presidency was made in May, 1860, by the Illinois Republican state convention at Decatur.

DECATUR—The first election returns telegram was received at the Lincoln headquarters in Springfield in November, 1861 from Decatur.

DECATUR — The little bronze badges of honor and glory are worn by members of the Grand Army of the Republic first organized in 1866 at Decatur.

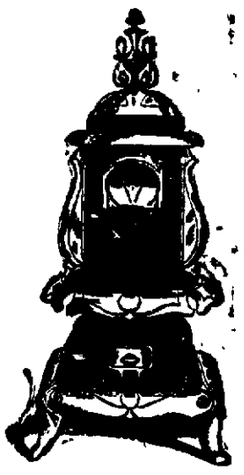
Any Housewife

will be proud to own and happy to use any Globe Stove or Range. And before paying more for an inferior stove we ask you to call and inspect the Globe.



You will find in any Globe Range a perfect baker, economical in the use of fuel, durable and thoroughly satisfactory. We have a Globe for every customer.

If you want the most powerful and economical heater on earth buy a Globe Hot Blast. Will burn any kind of fuel more economically. Will consume the gasses and soot more completely, will heat the base, floor and room more thoroughly, and will hold fire as long as any heater ever made.



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Bargains In Paint!

Kling Kote at $1.50 per gal.
Dalplin at $2.00 per gal.
S. H. High Grade, $2.25 gal.
I am closing the above out; come quick and get your Paint before you are too late.

F. A. SONGER.

Corner Lincoln Square and West Main.

LABOR DAY CLOSING NOTICE—

Following our usual custom, we will close our store at noon, tomorrow, Labor Day.

Do Your Shopping Between 8 and 12 o'clock

The Wm Gushard Dry Goods Co

Some Great Morning Bargain Features in

WHITE GOODS Blankets and Outings

TO stimulate trade during the morning hours, our Domestic and White Goods aisle is making some attractive offers to economical housekeepers. Just four big members, but each one a phenominal value—and so seasonable, that we shall have a very busy morning.

25c Long Cloth, 10 Yds. $1.69

For Monday morning only, we will sell our 25c quality of long-cloth, in 10 yard bolts, for a bolt $1.69

7c Cheese Cloth 5c

Good quality of cheese cloth, full 36 inches wide, selling regularly at 7c a yard, on sale Monday morning only, at a yard 5c

(Limit of 25 yards to a customer.)

Outing Flannel at 11c Yd.

Good weight and quality of colored outing flannel, 27 inches wide, very specially priced at a yard 11c

Wool Blanket Special

Special offering of plain grey wool blankets of a good weight and quality. They are of a size for the large double beds.

$5.00 values $3.98
$4.50 values $3.59

$5 Gives You Choice of $10, $12.50 and $15 White Dresses

TOMORROW forenoon, we will close out a line of white lingerie dresses at less than the first cost of materials. They are beautiful styles—all new models in nets, voiles, organdies, etc. There are about 25 of these dresses in sizes 16, 18, 36 and 38. They all bear the regular selling price in plain figures—choice of $10, $12.50 and $15 dresses for $5

Wash Skirts

Tomorrow for 75c

ALL that remains of our stock of white and colored wash skirts will be put on the bargain table tomorrow forenoon. We include all that sold up to $1.75 —waist measures up to 28, for

75c

Basement Bargain News

Some Big Features Tomorrow 8 to 12

ANOTHER SOAP SALE

We will sell Crystal White Soap—one of the most popular laundry soaps..... 6 Bars For 25c

(This soap delivered only with other basement purchases.)

White Combinetts $1.19

White Granite Combinetts, Monday, the last day, at $1.19

$1.75 Aluminum Kettle $1

$1.75 "Wear-Ever" Berlin Sauce Pan $1.00

Preserving Kettles 59c

20 qt. Grey Granite Preserving Kettle, just until noon, each.. 59c
Tin Cans, a dozen.....60c

Here Is A Practical Way For Housewives To

"Get Behind Hoover"

WE HAVE been doing a lot of talking lately—all of us—about this economy thing. Now, however, Macon county women are over with declaring principles—they want to begin putting them into practice. Of course, the question of bread comes first. Now for bread with most food value, we still, as we have always done, advise

BIG "S" FLOUR

The Flour For Bread That Is Food

BUT then, we want to help distribute the country's wheat supply more evenly. We want to help eliminate waste—if you call it that. So we are using—we Americans—more graham flour on alternating days with white bread flour. This plan, it seems, is the ultimate way to utilize the whole kernel and all the wheat, to the most economical advantage. Big "S" flours are specially prepared for just such a plan. Try them and see the good results in nourishment and economy.

Sold by all grocers. Just say Big "S" and your grocer will know that you want the best.

A Big "S" Feed For Every Need

Balanced rations specially made for poultry, horse and dairy.

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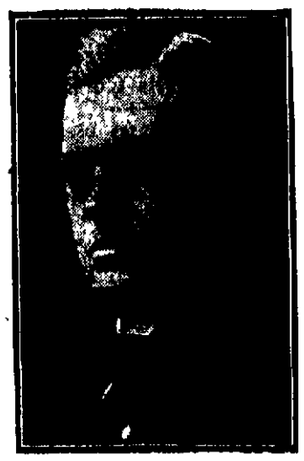
Men Who Will Have Prominent Part In Demonstration

ROBERT I. HUNT
Speaker.

ATTORNEY J. S. BALDWIN
Speaker.

ADMIRAL C. B. T. MOORE
Grand marshal of the parade and presiding officer.



MAYOR DAN DINNEEN
Speaker.

PROGRAM ISSUED FOR DEMONSTRATION

Mrs. Jane Johns, R. I. Hunt, Mayor Dinneen, J. S. Baldwin and Others to Speak.

PROCLAMATION BY MAYOR

To the Citizens of Decatur:

The patriotic demonstration on Wednesday, Sept. 5th, promises to exceed any public demonstration along similar lines ever witnessed in Decatur.

It will be a demonstration which should quicken the heart of every real lover of liberty and enkindle anew the flame of patriotism in every heart, and I wish to make this special appeal to the spectators who will be as much a part of the demonstration as those who march.

We have organized this great demonstration to testify our love for and appreciation of the men who are about to go to the front in defense of the nation and the principles for which it stands.

All spectators will have in their hearts and minds a deep sense of gratitude and full appreciation of the service which these men are about to render to the nation.

Let us all make a special effort not only to feel grateful, but to express it in a manner so emphatic and energetic as to leave no room for doubt in the hearts of our soldier boys as to our real feelings.

Let these citizen soldiers march through cheering crowds; let us forget for a time our natural reserve and put into action the deeper feeling that too often fails in outward expression.

Let flags be shown everywhere; let the patriotic fervor of a thoroughly awakened America find the freest and fullest expression possible. These young soldiers are making every citizen a debtor. Let every citizen openly acknowledge this debt.

DAN DINEEN,
Mayor.

Probably the largest and most enthusiastic patriotic demonstration in Decatur's history will be staged on Wednesday evening of this week in honor of the Macon county men who have been called to the new National army.

Final preparations for the event are being made by the committee in charge and the evening's program promises to be complete in every respect. The first event of the evening will, of course, be the parade, starting from the intersection of South Water and Wood streets at 7 p. m. sharp.

PROGRAM GIVEN.

At the conclusion of the parade, which will be at 8 30 or 9 o'clock a program of music and addresses will be given in Central park. A speakers' stand on the south side of the Citizens' Title and Trust building facing south, will be erected. Six bands have offered their services for the evening They are.

Goodman band.
Mueller band.
Beaumanoir band.
I T S. band.
Maroa band
Macon band

ADDRESSES AND MUSIC

Following is the program of speaking to be given in Central park after the parade

Music—By six bands combined.
Invocation—Rev J Murphy.
Talk—By Mrs Jane M. Johns Mrs Johns had forty-two relatives in the civil war and, she will give a few words of greeting to the drafted men.
Address—Mayor Dan Dinneen.
Address—J. A. McNally, Wabash shops.
Address J S Baldwin.
Benediction—Rev. Frank Fox.
Songs—Quartet.
Music—Bands

Admiral C B. T. Moore will be grand marshal of the parade and will preside at the meeting.

INVITATIONS OUT.

Work of sending out 410 invitations to all the drafted men in the county to attend the demonstration was completed Saturday. It was a big job. The invitations say:

"To permit showing you the honor due for the part you are to take in the new National army of our country, you are requested to be present at a demonstration in Decatur next Wednesday. The reception committee will meet you at the court house at 6 30 o'clock You will first participate in a big parade and later occupy a seat of honor at the exercises at Central park

Porter J. Milliken and his finance committee will start out this week in raise $1,000 with which to purchase comfort bags for the drafted men It's worth while and the members of the committee are expecting to secure a contribution from everybody they approach The comfort kits will make life in the trenches more bearable for the Decatur men who are putting themselves between the Germans and the rest of their countrymen.

ROTARIANS AFTER CROWDS.

Special efforts are being made by each organization to get its members out in large numbers for the parade. T. F O'Brien, chairman of the parade committee for the Rotary club, Saturday got out the following letter to every Rotarian.

"Brother Rotarian.

"Every Rotarian that is able in walk should be in the parade Sept 5 in honor of Decatur's contribution of young men to the U S National army

"Rich and poor are marching side by side to win this war. All Rotarians have red blood enough in their veins to get out and march a few minutes to show the boys we are back of them

"Rotarians will meet at the Hotel Orlando at 6 30 p m sharp. If you belong to some other organization, and feel obligated to march with them go ahead, we are not trying in this instance to make a Rotary showing, but we are trying to make a great big Decatur showing.

"It has been suggested that all business interests march in one division, disregarding club and association affiliations. However, each organization will call their members together and place them in line, in order that the parade may be quickly formed Get your Rotary button at the Orlando after 6 30, and if you are not marching with Rotarians, tell the secretary and he will check your name accordingly. No special dress or other decorations.

"T F O'BRIEN
"IRVING SIBLLY
"GUY LIPSCOMB"

One of two committee meetings will be held today to make further arrangements The parade committee will meet with Chairman Walter Kinney at 2 p. m at the P L & I. company offices The executive committee will meet at 4 p. m in the office of Mayor Dinneen

O. E. S. TO PARTICIPATE.

All members of Decatur Chapter, No 111, Order of Eastern Star, who desire to participate in the patriotic parade next Wednesday evening will meet on the walk on the north side of the Masonic Temple building at 6 30 p. m

MOOSEHEART LEGION IN PARADE.

Members of the Mooseheart Legion are planning a big turnout for the draft parade Fifty or more are expected to be in line All the Legion members have been asked to report at the Moose hall promptly at 7 p m Wives of members of the Moose lodge have been invited to join in the parade

TOO MANY NUMBERS ON THE TELEPHONES

Manager McMillin Plans to Install New Unit.

"Get the habit" says Manager J. B McMullin of the Central Union Telephone company, "remember the 'Main'"

His idea is not to recall the battle of Manila Bay, but to get the telephone subscribers used to using the prefix "Main" when calling for a telephone number In a few months the company will add another unit and the numbers on that unit will start with No 1 It is therefore necessary to call the prefix designating the unit the same as when one wishes now to talk with a rural subscriber he asks for "County" No 917, ring 12 etc The new unit will have the prefix "Fairview" and after it is put into commission it will be necessary to first give central the prefix "Fairview" before she will know whether you want a number on that unit or on the "Main" unit While it will be a few months before the new unit is installed, Manager McMillin is having the operators use the prefix "Main" so that they as well as the subscribers will become used to it. There are now about 7,600 subscribers and big numbers are hard to remember. The more figures there are the more chance for errors.

Good Luck Club.

Mrs O A. Fitzgerald 142 South Witt street, entertained the members of the Good Luck club at her home, Thursday afternoon. Flags decorated the house A patriotic contest was held in which Thomas Hastie won the prize Mrs. Volberg and son, Lewis, were guests. The following officers were elected President, Mrs. Thomas Varden, Vice-President, Mrs Danaker; Secretary and Treasurer Mrs Eggler; Reporter Mrs Fitzgerald Luncheon was served red, white and blue flowers decorated the table and flag place cards were used. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Margaret Hastie, 1142 N Warren

Golden Glow Club.

The Golden Glow Club met all day Thursday at the home of Mrs. McCrum, 1826 E. Johnson avenue, Mrs Cook won the club prize. Twelve members were in attendance. The women spent a very pleasant social day together. The hostess served a three-course dinner Cosmos and Golden Glow decorated the table.

Miss Blakeney Surprised.

Miss Josephine Blakeney, of 1603 N. College, was very pleasantly surprised Friday evening by fifteen of her girl friends, the occasion being her birthday. The party was arranged by Miss Gertrude Anderson. The evening was spent in music and dancing. A two-course luncheon was served. The table was decorated with roses.

LOVINGTON BOY IN U. S. SERVICE

HARRY HARRISON.

Harry Harrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Harrison is a member of the U S. Mounted Army Engineers, stationed at El Paso, Tex He attended the Culver Military Academy two years and the Rose Polytechnic Institute at Terre Haute, Ind

At the time he enlisted a few months ago, he was working as a civil engineer for the B. & O. railroad, with headquarters at Cleveland, O. He wrote his folks a few days ago that his headquarters would soon be at Washington, D C

35 MORE MEMBERS FOR RED CROSS

Table for Supplying Muslin Bandages.

RED CROSS IN MACON CO., 8,241

The Niantic secretary of the Red Cross branch, Mrs. Clara Pritchett, sent in ten additional members from that place Saturday with the comment—"that it would swell that grand total that much"

C. H Leon also turned in three additional lists Friday night which added twenty-five more to the membership of the Decatur chapter The total to date is 8,241 for Macon county.

MORE BANDAGE

Great attention is to be given for increasing the supply of muslin bandages at the work headquarters and a table which will be devoted entirely to this work will be under the direct supervision of an expert all the time now. Mrs George Wright who is chairman of that work, would like to see twenty-five women at work at the muslin bandage table constantly Slings, bandages and all the other muslin helps for the wounded will be made there

$500,000 FROM FORD.

The gift of $500 000 to the American Red Cross by the Ford Motor company is announced by the Red Cross War Council today. The gift is in the form of an order on the Ford company for a half million dollars worth of automobiles, ambulances or parts. It is possible now that ambulances may be sent by the Red Cross to Russia and Serbia.

TO BUY $1,800 AMBULANCE.

A general order issued by Helen N. Middlekauf, department president and countersigned by Ines J. Bender, department secretary, of the Illinois Woman's Relief Corps, calls on that organization to provide an ambulance for the use of the United States in Europe.

The order appeals to the women to raise an emergency fund of $1,800 to buy and equip the ambulance, and special ambulance aides are appointed for each corps. Mrs. Blanche Calhoun, and Mrs. Mary A. Bradley are the special aides for corps No. 4, of Dunham Post, at Decatur.

Lost Auto, Then Found It.

L. W. Clark, 405 West Eldorado street reported to the police Saturday evening that his five-passenger Overland had been stolen from in front of the Elks' club. Later in the evening the auto was recovered. Another member of the Elks', who owns an Overland, offered to lend his car to a friend, and the friend, in his hurry, took the wrong Overland. He brought it back in good shape.

MANY ATTRACTIONS AT GREAT LAKES

Henry Busch Writes of Life in Station.

James Dovekas is in receipt of a letter from Henry Busch, who is at the Great Lakes Naval Training station. He says:

"I am feeling fine and having a

HENRY BUSCH.

good time. We were out on a cruise Wednesday afternoon and I examined the boat from top to bottom I was in the mess hall for a week, waiting on forty boys and washing dishes. Some job. We were in a drill Tuesday for the movies. It might be shown down there some time. Last night we had five good boxing and four good wrestling matches, and a good ball game yesterday afternoon

"On Tuesday night we have five acts of vaudeville and some movies. Guess we might get out of here in a month. Some are leaving now. I might come home a week from Sunday if nothing happens. We can't get away from here just when we want to, but navy life is pretty good at that. We are treated nice by the people. About 5 000 people were here last night for the show This is working day for our company. My job is sweeping off the sidewalks. Are my friends leaving or getting married? I guess a lot of them will be gone when I come back"

MISS SPAETH FINDS SOME SAD CASES

Miss Ida Spaeth, the tuberculosis expert, is continuing her survey of the county and the inspection of cases of consumption here and she finds plenty to do.

Saturday she spent the afternoon in the country and looked into some very distressing cases.

She went to one house where the young husband had been dead only a few months. He left a wife and two young children and Miss Spaeth is sure that his death could have been prevented if there had been some place here he could have had reasonable care and treatment.

In another case a woman who is a native of this county became ill with tuberculosis, but there was no place for her to go. She finally went to Ohio, where she has relatives and on their names she secured entrance to the Ohio state hospital for tubercular patients Ohio has state hospitals, as does Indiana but Illinois has no place for such patients.

ORDER FILED HERE

The order from the state board of health to Mr Mattes as head of the health department here for the registration of all such cases and their proper isolation and care, will probably bring some of these questions up before the authorities. The state has ordered certain things done. There are no facilities for doing these things and it is likely that with the sentiment growing rapidly in favor of some action in this ever present and terrible problem, something permanent is likely to result out of the present agitation.

Plans are under discussion which it is hoped will result in something more substantial and permanent than talk

Macon county should have a tuberculosis sanitarium colony and it is likely to get one.

THREE-I CHAMPS TO PLAY GRAND RAPIDS

Peoria Sept 1.—Through an agreement signed tonight the Peoria club, champions of the Three I league will play Grand Rapids, champions of the Central league, a series of seven post season games opening in Peoria next Friday. Only the present players on both clubs will be eligible to participate and sixty per cent of the gate receipts will go to the winner

ASSUMPTION MAN WEDS; TO ARMY SOON

Assumption, Sept. 1.—Miss Bertha Moran and Ray Higginbotham both of this city, were married at Clinton Friday afternoon. Mr. Higginbotham has been in Detroit, where he has been until recently, when he came home to enter the service of the U. S., being drafted into the army

The couple had planned to be married this fall, but the draft threatened for a time to end the romance. They finally decided to get married anyway. He will go to war and the bride will make her home with Mr. and Mrs. E G. Coonrod during his absence

Both are estimable young people and the fact that the young man must go to war is generally deplored.

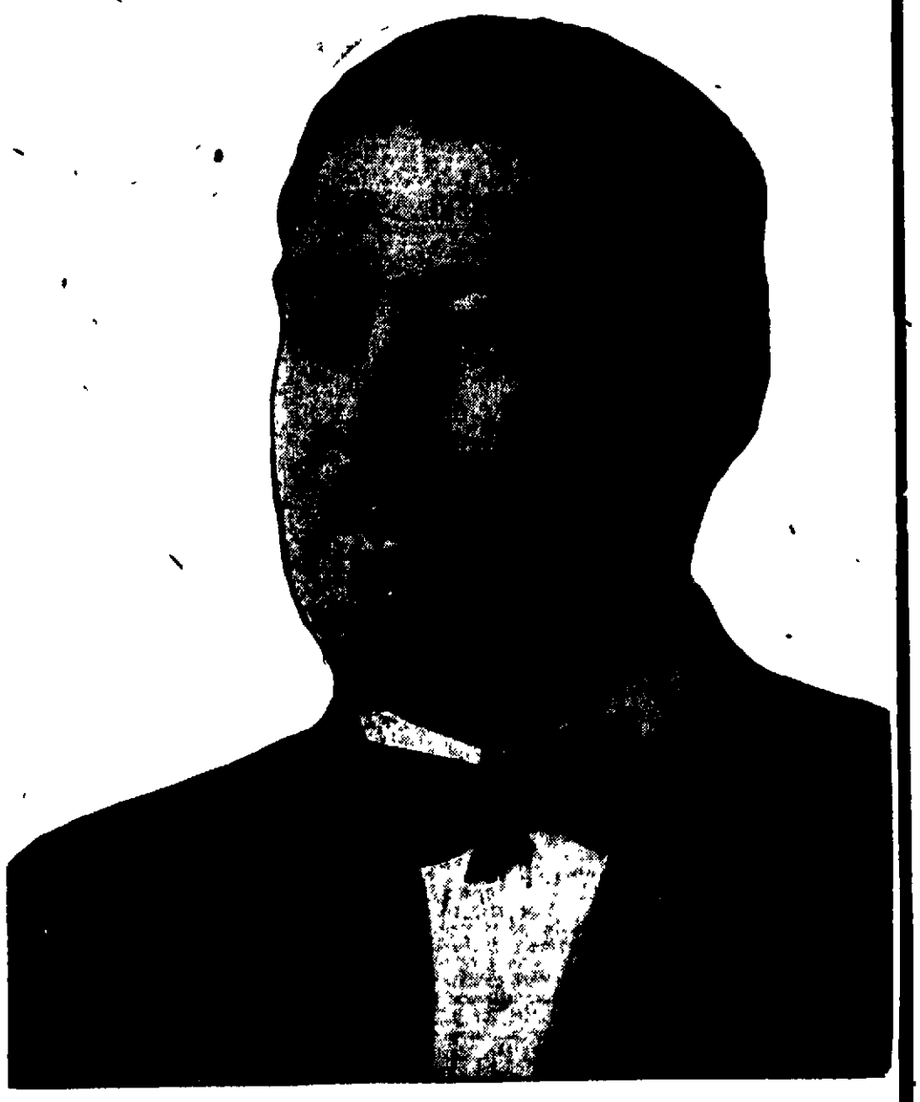
LABEL LEAGUE TO BLOOMINGTON

The Women's Union Label league will go in a body on Labor day to Bloomington. They will take banners and everyone will carry a pennant. The party will leave at 7 45 from the interurban station.

Just Us Club.

Mrs. Horace See will entertain the Just Us club at her home, 1627 E. North street, Tuesday afternoon.

Curing Men of Disease



DR. McCARTY

1. Dr. McCarty is a graduate of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Chicago (Medical Department U. of I.).
2. Has had 18 months' service in the Milwaukee County Hospital.
3. One year Surgeon in Chief to the Crandon Hospital.
4. One year professor in the Wisconsin College of Physicians and Surgeons of Milwaukee.
5. One year in the great Clinics and Laboratories of Berlin, Vienna and London.
6. Years of private practice.
7. Years as a specialist in chronic and special diseases.
8. For over six years in the present location.

Curing Men By Honest, Scientific Methods is My Life Work. I Never Disappoint Patients and My Cures Are Quick, Sure and Lasting.

I am permanently established in Decatur for the cure of those suffering and afflicted with the diseases of my specialty. I have no unbusinesslike propositions to offer, such as are often used to deceive suffering humanity, nor do I offer to cure you in a few days in order to secure your money. I treat you with honest, upright and clean business and professional methods, aided by scientific equipment and long experience in my specialty. I have established a reputation as a specialist to whom all suffering men can go with full confidence, knowing they will be skillfully treated. HONEST SPECIALISTS of my REPUTATION and ABILITY, holding the DIPLOMAS and INDORSEMENTS that I do, do not resort to scheming methods, misleading and unbusinesslike propositions in order to secure patronage. I have no ASSISTANT DOCTORS, but when necessary the consultation of a number of skilled specialists is available right here in my office. Every time you call YOU SEE ME, and you are TREATED BY ME PERSONALLY.

A falsehood well maintained, may succeed for a while, but it is only a question of time when the truth will prevail. This is why an advertisement of facts is the safest and best proposition for a successful doctor, as well as any other business or professional man

Don't Let Money or False Pride Prevent You from Being Cured.

ARE YOU DISCOURAGED? DON'T BECOME DESPONDENT. COME TO ME—I HAVE CURED OTHERS AND WILL CURE YOU.

I make no charge whatever for consultation, examination and full information, and you have nothing to pay for except satisfactory treatment

Why not get a true specialist to treat you—a specialist of ripe experience—who will treat you as you wish to be—a specialist who will charge you no outrageous price—a specialist who will work for nothing if he cannot accomplish something? Come to me if you are looking for this kind of a specialist.

CONSULTATION, EXAMINATION FREE

Urine and blood analyzed free when necessary Call and have a friendly talk in confidence If not satisfied with my opinion, examination and diagnosis, you are not expected to begin treatment Get my opinion (free).

I CHARGE NOTHING TO PROVE MY METHODS WILL CURE YOU.

It will cost you no more to take treatment of me than to place yourself under the doubtful ability of a medicore. Cast your false modesty aside and call and have a friendly talk with a skillful, reliable specialist, who will quickly and permanently restore you to what nature intended—a healthy, vigorous man, with physical and mental powers complete A trial will convince you. Do not put off any longer from day to day and from week to week a matter of such vital importance, but do something, it will be none too soon. Everything confidential.

When you consult me you consult a physician who has established a professional reputation by doing for patients what I agree to. My diplomas and registration certificates are to be seen in my offices Ask to see them.

I treat successfully, at lowest cost, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Rheumatism, Debilitated Conditions, Nervous Exhaustion, Blood Poison, Skin Diseases, Stomach, Kidney and Bladder Troubles, and all Chronic and Special Diseases and Weakness of Men.

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SPORTS

WHITE SOX LOSE AND BOSTON WINS

St. Louis Checks Chicago's Winning Streak.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—St. Louis checked Chicago's winning streak today by winning the final game of the series, 6 to 3, and thereby cut Chicago's lead over Boston in the pennant race to three and a half games.

Boston won its game today from Philadelphia. An error by Ilsberg paved the way for the first two runs for the visitors, and McMullin's wild throw in the ninth inning gave them another run. The other runs were scored by bunching hits.

Chicago bunched its hits off Koob, and this, coupled with bases on balls, gave them three runs. Groom probably saved the game for St. Louis in the seventh, when he struck out Felsch and Murphy, who batted for Gandil when the bases were filled.

ST LOUIS—	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Sisson, rf.	4	1	1	0	0	0	
Smith, lf.	4	1	1	4	0	0	
Sisler, 1b.	5	2	3	8	1	0	
Pratt, 2b.	5	2	3	5	1	0	
Severeid, c.	4	2	2	8	3	0	
Jacobsen, cf.	4	0	0	2	0	0	
Magee, 3b.	4	0	1	1	2	0	
Lavan, ss.	4	0	2	1	2	0	
Koob, p.	1	0	0	0	1	0	
Rogers, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Groom, p.	1	0	0	0	3	0	
Totals	36	6	12	27	13	0	
CHICAGO—							
J. Collins, rf.	3	0	2	4	0	0	
Leibold, rf.	2	0	1	0	0	0	
McMullin, 3b.	5	1	1	0	3	1	
E. Collins 2b.	4	1	1	1	2	0	
Jackson, lf.	5	1	3	1	0	0	
Felsch, cf.	2	0	0	3	0	0	
Gandil, 1b.	3	0	0	7	1	0	
Murphy *	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Jourdan, 1b.	0	0	0	3	0	0	
Risberg, ss.	3	0	1	2	1	1	
Schalk, c.	3	0	0	6	1	0	
Danforth, p.	1	0	0	0	4	0	
Williams, p.	2	0	0	0	1	0	
Totals	32	3	9	27	13	2	

* Batted for Gandil in seventh.

BY INNINGS.

St. Louis	0 0 0 2 1 0 1 1 0—6
Chicago	0 1 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—3

SUMMARY.

Two base hits—Pratt Severeid. Three base hits—Jackson. Smith, Lavan. Stolen base—Risberg. Sacrifice hits—Rogers, Jacobsen, Smith. Sacrifice fly—Felsch. Left on bases—St. Louis, 7; Chicago, 9. First on errors—St. Louis, 1. Bases on balls—Off Koob, 4, off Danforth, 1; off Rogers, 1. Hits and earned runs—Off Koob, 4 hits and 3 runs in 2 innings, none out in third; off Rogers, 5 hits, no runs in 4 1-3 innings; off Groom, no hits, no runs in 2 2-3 innings. off Danforth, 9 hits, 2 runs in 8 2-3 innings, off Williams, 3 hits, 1 run in 3 1-3 innings. Hit by pitcher—By Koob (E. Collins). Struck out—By Koob, 1, by Danforth, 2, by Rogers, 3, by Williams, 2; by Groom, 2. Umpires—Nallin and Connolly. Time—1:54.

NAPS BEAT DETROIT.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 1.—Cleveland and Detroit broke even on the series, Cleveland winning today, 3 to 2. Detroit scored two in the first inning on Bush's double and Veach's home run. Only three Detroiters reached first during the next eight innings. Cleveland took the lead in the sixth on Chapman's single, Roth's pass, an infield out and Evans' triple. Speaker, in attempting to steal home in the first inning, was hit in the face by a bited ball by Evans. He was allowed to remain out of the game one inning, while the cut was sewed up, then resuming his place in center, temporarily filled by Smith.

Score:			R.	H.	E
Detroit	2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0		2	4	0
Cleveland	1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 x		3	7	1

Batteries—F. Dauss, Cunningham and Stanage; Bagby and O'Neill.

RED SOX CLEAN UP.

Boston, Sept. 1.—Boston made a clean sweep of the final series of the season with Philadelphia by winning, 6 to 1, today. Schauer was easy for Boston in the first four innings and gave way to Myers, who was hit hard enough to yield two additional runs. The hits off Shore were scattered, and but for an error by Gardner in the sixth inning, he would have scored a shut-out. Boston has won ten of the eleven games played with Philadelphia in this city. Score:

		R.	H.	E
Phila.	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	1	4	0
Boston	1 0 3 0 0 0 2 0 x	6	8	3

Batteries—Myers, Schauer and Meyer; Shore and Agnew.

ROOKIE CLUB TO PLAN TOURNAMENT

Association Will Meet at R. C. Peck Home.

Members of the Decatur Roque association will meet at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the home of R. C. Peck 351 East Eldorado street, to make plans for the roque tournament to be held here. It is planned to have a three-days tournament, with good prizes for first and second division players. Players from Peoria, Springfield and Edinburg will be invited, and it is expected that some will be here from Chicago. Tuesday's meeting will be important and the local members should all be there

CINCINNATI WINS 2 GAMES FROM CUBS

Pitchers' Duel Features First Contest.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 1.—Cincinnati took both games of a double header from Chicago here today, coming from behind in each game to win out. Vaughn and Toney engaged in a pitchers duel in the first game for five innings, but in the sixth four successive singles netted the Reds two runs which proved enough to win.

First game:

CHICAGO—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Flack, rf.	5	0	2	0	0	0
Wolters, lf.	4	0	1	3	2	0
Doyle, 2b.	5	0	0	2	2	1
Merkle, 1b.	4	0	0	8	0	0
Williams, cf.	5	0	1	3	0	0
Deal, 3b.	4	0	0	2	1	2
Kilduff, ss.	2	1	1	1	1	2
Elliott, c.	4	0	2	6	2	0
Vaughn, p.	3	0	0	1	4	1
Wortman 1*	0	0	0	0	0	0
Telscoll 2*	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zeider 3*	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	1	7	24	14	4
CINCINNATI—						
Groh, 3b.	3	0	0	2	1	0
Kopf, ss.	4	0	0	2	5	2
Roush, cf.	4	1	2	7	0	0
Chase, 1b.	4	0	2	5	0	0
Magee, lf.	4	1	3	4	0	0
Griffith, rf.	4	0	1	2	1	0
Shean, 2b.	2	0	0	3	1	0
Wingo, c.	3	0	1	2	2	0
Toney, p.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	2	9	27	10	2

1* Ran for Kilduff in ninth.
2* Ran for Elliott in ninth.
3* Ran for Vaughn in ninth.

BY INNINGS.

Chicago	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 x—2

SUMMARY.

Two base hits—Roush, Flack. Stolen bases—Deal. Sacrifice hit—Doyle. Left on bases—Chicago 9, Cincinnati, 7. First on errors—Chicago, 1. Cincinnati, 2. Bases on balls—Off Vaughn, 1 off Toney, 3. Hits and earned runs—Off Vaughn, 9 hits and 2 runs in 8 innings, off Toney, 7 hits and no runs in 9 innings. Struck out—By Vaughn, 1; by Toney, 2. Passed ball—Elliott. Umpires—Harrison and O'Day. Time—1:54.

SECOND GAME.

Club—		R.	H.	E
Chicago	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0	1	5	2
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 x	3	7	1

Batteries—Hendrix and Wilson, Liler and Wingo.

PIRATES DROP TWO.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 1.—St. Louis won two games from Pittsburgh today by 1 to 0 scores. Both contests brought out splendid pitching. In the first, Cooper held the visitors safe until the ninth when Ward's fumble followed by two well placed hits scored the only run of the game. Two hits and a sacrifice bunched on Carlson in the fourth inning of the second game accounted for the only run of that contest. Score first game:

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	5
Pitsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5

Batteries: Hartsman and Gonzales; Cooper and W. Wagner.

Second game—

St. Louis	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	4
Pitsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3

Batteries: Watson and Snyder; Carlson and Schmidt.

GIANTS DEFEAT DODGERS.

Brooklyn, Sept. 1.—New York defeated Brooklyn in the final game of the series today by a score of 3 to 2. The locals bunched two triples and a single for two runs in the first inning, but were unable to hit Sallee timely during the remaining innings. The Giants tallied in the first on Burns' triple and an out and tie! the score in the sixth on hits by Holke, Rariden and Sallee and a force out, Myers' muff of a throw in the seventh was responsible for the winning run. Cadore was hit hard, S. Smith relieving him in the seventh inning.

The morning game scheduled with Philadelphia Labor Day will be played in the afternoon as part of a double header. The Brooklyn club had games scheduled with Philadelphia tomorrow and New York next Sunday but cancelled them pending a court decision in regard to the legality of a Sunday game played at Ebbets Field. Score:

New York	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	12
Br'klyn	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	8

Batteries, Sallee and Rariden; Smith, Cadore and Krueger.

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ALL READY FOR THE SPLASH

—PHOTO BY REMBRANDT

Contestants in the Y. W. C. A. swimming meet lined up before the opening of the aquatic carnival held at the Y. M. C. A. pool Friday night. Before one of the largest crowds which has ever attended such an event, the swimming meet staged at the Y. M. C. A. pool by the Y. W. C. A. Friday evening, was one of the most successful which has ever been held. All of the events were hotly contested and the exhibitions of swimming and diving were heartily received by the audience.

Progress of The Pennant Races

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
White Sox	83	47	.638
Boston	76	47	.618
Cleveland	70	60	.538
Detroit	66	61	.520
New York	56	65	.463
Washington	56	65	.463
St. Louis	50	80	.385
Philadelphia	43	78	.355

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	77	42	.650
Philadelphia	67	54	.508
St. Louis	68	58	.540
Cincinnati	67	61	.523
Chicago	62	64	.492
Brooklyn	59	64	.488
Boston	49	67	.422
Pittsburgh	39	84	.317

Saturday's Results in the Big Leagues

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York-Brooklyn game postponed; rain. Second game: New York, 3-12-0, Brooklyn, 2-8-1.

St. Louis, 1-5-0; Pittsburgh, 0-5-1. Second game: St. Louis, 1-4-1, Pittsburgh, 0-1-3.

Boston-Philadelphia games postponed; rain.

Chicago, 1-7-4; Cincinnati, 2-9-2. Second game: Chicago, 1-6-2, Cincinnati, 5-5-0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington-New York games postponed; rain.

Philadelphia, 1-5-0 Boston 6 12-3.

Detroit, 2-4-0; Cleveland, 3-7-1.

St. Louis, 6-12-0, Chicago, 5-9 2.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Toledo, 5-10 0; Louisville, 0-5-3. Second game Toledo, 0-5-3; Louisville, 6-9-(called in seventh to catch train).

Columbus, 4-8-0; Indianapolis, 2-7-0 Second game: Columbus, 3-9-1; Indianapolis, 4-4-5.

St. Paul, 1-6-0; Milwaukee, 4-11-1, Second game: St. Paul, 4-7-0; Milwaukee, 6-5-0.

Minneapolis, 7-10-0; Kansas City, 1-10-2.

IVESDALE TEAM TO MEET STALEY'S

Fast Game Booked on Local Diamond.

The Ivesdale K. of C. team, which has never appeared in Decatur before, will be the big attraction at the Staley ball field Sunday afternoon against the Staley team. The game will start at 3 p. m. This is said to be a bunch of exceedingly clean and fast ball players. They have been battling most of the summer with the strong Monticello crowd and the score now stands a little in their favor. These games have mostly been 1 to 0 and 2 to 0 games. Perkins and Sommers will be the Ivesdale battery while Kotzelnek and Hawkins will perform for the starch crowd.

SADORUS MONDAY.

On Labor Day afternoon, the attraction is to be the Sadorus team, which Staley's defeated at Sadorus in May, by a 1 to 0 score after eighteen innings of hard playing. "Doc" Carroll, former American Association pitcher, who twirled the long game for Sadorus, will be here for this battle and Davis will be the receiver while Manager Fletcher of Staley's expects to start "Ranny" Young in the box with Avory McGlade doing the catching. Young and McGlade have been working out all week and the veteran catcher declares his younger partner has lots of things to show. This game will also start at 3 o'clock.

Next Sunday, the Springfield Union Giants, will play at Staley's. This is one of the fastest colored teams in Illinois.

WATERWORKS VS. SANGAMON.

Waterworks fans can "wind" their way to Riverview Park Sunday afternoon and enjoy the breezes from the river (without the smell) while the Waterworks team and the Sangamon Feds will endeavor to entertain the crowd. The game will start at 3 o'clock. Rushing and Watkins will be the Decatur battery.

WASH DAY IN CAMP

HOWARD HORN, OF ARCOLA.

Wash day in the camp of the Wisconsin Engineers. Howard Horn, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Horn, of Arcola, now a member of Company C, 1st Brigade Wisconsin Engineers, is training at Camp Douglas, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

WILL TOM ALLEY BEAT DE PALMA

Decatur Driver in Races at Chicago.

Considerable interest is being taken in the Labor day automobile races at Chicago. The entrance of Tom Alley with a Pan American car adds considerable to the Decatur interest.

The general expectation is that De Palma with his new high speed twin six Packard is likely to get the high some fancy sprinting, going 20 miles at a speed of 110, and 50 miles at a speed of 103 miles an hour.

A number of Decatur people will see the race, and the Pan American corporation will be represented by several of its officials.

BLUE MOUND TO OPEN THE SEASON

Coach F. M. Ziese Back on Duty.

F. W. Ziese principal of the Blue Mound high school, arrived in Blue Mound, Saturday. Mr. Ziese is coach of the Blue Mound high school football eleven and he proposes to turn out a winning eleven this fall.

Nearly all the players on last year's team will be back in school and the outlook is scintillating. First practice will be held on the Blue Mound gridiron Monday.

ALL STARS VS. FORSYTH.

The Industrial League All Stars, a team composed of the best players from Decatur's Industrial League, will journey to Forsyth Sunday afternoon, where they will meet the Forsyth aggregation in diamond combat.

COMPANY L BOYS IN "WAR" PICTURE

Local Man's Conception of Liberty.

Having heard the question now and then from some who want to know "what we are fighting for" and knowing the value of drawings, pictures and other works of art in the present day in stirring up "Young America," Dr. T. C. Buxton has studied out the picture entitled "The New Vision."

The picture is copyrighter and is being printed for sale. First copies were sent to President Wilson and Governor Lowden and on both of these high officials have come letters of acknowledgement of the gift and praising the idea as presented in this picture

STATESMEN EMBRACE.

At the top of Buxton's picture is a picture of an old sketch found by him, a drawing of Washington and Lincoln embracing each other, Washington representing the first great battle for liberty and Lincoln represents the great battle in 1861

The next in the battleship Oregon which played such an important part in the fight for the freedom of Cuba and the Philippines. This ship carries the flags of the United States, England, France and Belgium under the word Liberty, the object for which these countries now fight. In the lower right hand corner is an actual picture of a part of Company L of Decatur, which will eventually be on its way to France to fight in the same cause.

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Mueller Party Starting for Quiver Beach

—PHOTO BY WILLIS STUDIOS

Six autos bearing Mueller banners, pulled up along side the Mueller factory Saturday noon and about twenty-five members of the firm and employes jumped in and started out for a few days trip to Quiver Beach. As the factory does not work Saturday afternoon and it will be closed all day Monday because of Labor day, it gave them time for a two and a half day trip.

RAY LOWERS A. A. U. MILE RUN RECORD

Makes Distance in 4 Minutes, 18 Seconds.

St. Louis, Sept. 1.—A championship record in the American Athletic Union was lowered by Joie Ray, of the Illinois Athletic club, Chicago, this afternoon at the championship meet of the A. A. U., when he made the mile run in 4 minutes and 18 seconds. This is 3-5 second lower than the A. A. U. championship meet record, but does not equal the world's record of 4 minutes, 12 3-5 seconds made at the Harvard standum in 1915 by Norman S. Taber, of the Boston Athletic association.

Chicago athletes were again the point winners in the championship meet this afternoon first place in the senior events going to Chicago Athletic association with a score of 60 the Illinois Athletic club which yesterday won first place in the junior events, today came out second in the senior with a score of 23. The Boston Athletic association was third with a score of 15.

No world's records were broken today nor even American records recognized by the Amateur Athletic union, but two championship meet records of the A. A. U. were broken. One of the new senior champions is Joie Ray, of the Illinois Athletic club Chicago, who ran a mile in 4 minutes, 18 seconds, which is 3-5 of a second faster than the old championship record.

A new championship record was made also in the three mile walk. The old championship mark was made in 1883 by G. D. Baird, his time for the distance being 22 minutes, 8 3-5 seconds; but George Goulding, of the Toronto, Canada, Y. M. C. A. today covered the three miles in 21 minutes, 15 1-5 seconds. Goulding also is the international Olympion champion.

Floyd Smart of the Chicago A. A., however, equalled the A. A. U. record of 54 4-5 seconds in the 440 yard low hurdles.

Joie Ray, of the Illinois Athletic club in winning the mile run, overcame one of the greatest aggregations of competitors that has contested in such a race. Among the runners were John Overton, of Yale university, Stout, of the University of Chicago, and Ball, of the Chicago Athletic association.

A disappointment to the spectators was the failure of Ted Meridith of the Meadowbrook club, Philadelphia, to arrive for the quarter of a mile event today. His admirers had expected this runner to set a new mark. His furlough from the Mount Clemens aviation camp has been extended to next Wednesday and it is promised that he will be here for the relay races Monday.

MRS. LETTS GAINS LEAD IN GOLF MATCH

Chicago Sept. 1.—Playing the first half in an unbeatable 40, Mrs. Fred C. Letts, of Indian Hill club, Chicago, today gained a lead of three holes and with similar golf on the second nine, today handily defeated Miss Elaine Rosenthal of Ravisloe club, Chicago, 5 and 4 in defense of her title as woman's western golf champion at Flossmoor Country club. Miss Rosenthal, who was champion in 1915, and now holds the title of north and south champion, played par golf, except for three holes, but that was not good enough to keep even with the champion.

Mrs. Letts, who as Marjorie Dodd, of Cincinnati, was both a tennis and golf champion several years ago, today only added several performances of championship calibre during the last two years, beginning with the winning of the western title at Grand Rapids last summer. She recently won the Chicago championship, competing with substantially the same field as the one she disposed of this week.

YOUNG ATTORNEY IN LAW FIRM

The law firm of Vail, Miller and Pogue was changed Saturday to Vail, Pogue and Allen.

The new member of the firm is Edgar H. Allen, son of Circuit Clerk John Allen, and he has been associated in the work of the office since Philip L. Miller left the firm some months ago. With the consent of Mr. Miller, his name was retained in the firm until Sept. 1, when that of Mr. Allen was added. The firm now consists of Robert P. Vail, Stanley L. Pogue and Edgar H. Allen.

Danville News—It used to be that one was broke,
Was "on the hog" when without "kale,"
But how about that same old bloke,
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By Plain Housekeeper

"It costs a lot to live these days,
More than in days of yore.
But when we come to think of it,
It's worth a great deal more."

And now Professor Sherman tells us lime starvation is becoming very common among the people of the United States, owing to the constant use of fine flour bread, which contains one grain of lime to the pound, while whole wheat contains four time as much.

Lime is an important element of nutrition, equally as important as fats, carbohydrates and protein.

Without lime, babies teethe late and painfully, and of course, for babies and children milk is the best source of lime.

For adults, milk should be slightly salted, and eaten with bread stuffs or sipped slowly.

SWALLOWED HURRIEDLY.

A large glass of milk swallowed hastily, as you frequently see it done at the quick lunch counter, will form in the stomach a lump of dense, cheesy curd. Under the act'on of the stomach this cheesy mass will turn over and over like a heavy weight, and as the gastric juice can attack only its surface, it digests very slowly. Taken slowly, with dry bread, the gastric juice can pass through the porus lump thus formed, as it is broken up by the action of the stomach, in turning it over

EAT "SHORTS."

Now the whole grain of the wheat contains in an inner coating a substance known as "shorts," which we have usually fed to the chickens, and which looks like a fine grade of bran, as indeed it is.

It can be bought at any feed store and if you are finicky, you may sterilize it by putting it in a dripping pan in the oven, long enough to heat it through. Do not scorch it, and do not sift it.

This shorts contains fat, lime and vitamines, the newly discovered life giving substances, which keep us from having pellagra, beri beri and other "ills that flesh is heir to."

SHORTS MUFFINS

If you wish to prepare a most nourishing and delicious muffin, that will furnish splendid food value to the family, and will conserve wheat meat fat and sugar, the four things Mr Hoover tells us we must save try

SHORTS MUFFINS

1½ cups flour.
1 cup shorts
½ cup raisins
¾ teaspoon salt.
1 teaspoonful baking powder.
1 cup sour milk
1 teaspoonful soda (level)
1 egg
3 tablespoons fat
(Any fat excepting butter)

Chop the raisins, and roll them in two tablespoons flour to keep them from sinking to the bottom of the pan

Mix all the dry ingredients Add the soda to the milk and dissolve it—then add the beaten egg to the milk

Now add the dry ingredients to the milk and egg In so doing you will save the washing of an extra sticky pan and so conserve time and beauty—for a cross, tired woman is never beautiful More than that, you save a little of the egg and milk, that would otherwise adhere to the pan And we are going to learn to save these littles, because, while the waste in one household alone would amount to very little, we must learn to think of the combined waste. Therefore—if you do not have in your kitchen equipment a good spatula, get one And use it to scrape every dust of flour from the bread board, and every bit of batter from your mixing pan.

"Many a little makes a mickle."

APPLYING HEAT.

Now we proceed to our recipe, add the fat, heated until quite hot, the object being to start at once the action of the baking powder, just as the act on of the soda has been started by the acid in the milk The muffins will be lighter and more wholesome if heated in this manner, than if the action all takes place simultaneously, after being placed in the oven. Add floured raisins last

Have the tins in which you bake well oiled, and do not stir too long after adding the last ingredient, as the leavening ingredients lose some of their power, if kept out of oven too long.

We save wheat, in this recipe, by using the larger portion of the grain, instead of merely the inner part.

One tablespoon fat is saved, because the 'shorts contain the fat—and we use one tablespoon less than we would for fine white flour muffins, and we have a better product.

We use less sugar, because the raisins furnish this, and we conserve meat, because for breakfast meat will not be required with these muffins

To housewives who are acquainted with calories—the yardstick by which we measure the fuel value of food—will say that the calorific value of each muffin is about 125

CANNING STORY

A very amusing incident occurred recently in the canning field. A woman descended in wrath upon a canning expert, and said

"I have no use for this cold pack method of canning I lost 38 quarts of beans, and I went exactly by the directions given in the government bulletin."

"You are sure' said the expert, "that you did not vary in any particular?"

Indeed I did not I blanched cold dipped, packed boiled 3 hours and sealed tight"

Just at this point the husband steps into the lime light

"Well, Mary you know you did one thing they didn't tell you? You know you put a knife under the lids after you sealed the jars to let out the steam

"Indeed," said the relieved expert, who hated to see the government experiments demolished 'tell me about it."

"Well' said Mary Of coure when I took the jars out of the boiler and found them bubbling and boiling inside, with the lids sealed tight, I knew they would burst so I slipped the knife under each lid to let out the steam"

Moral—Either follow directions exactly, or leave your husband at home

Real genuine co-operation in the work of winning the war means sometimes giving up every idea you have, about a certain subject and doing it cheerfully, in order to win the cause The President spoke well when he said that to be called to help in this national crisis is 'a high privilege, a great undertaking a duty.'

A PLAIN HOUSEKEEPER

Timely Hints on Food Saving

The Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense has issued a bulletin of suggestions on how best to help in the work of that organization Here are some of the hints:

Be a food conservator Follow government suggestions.

Join the No Waste league

Serve few courses.

Especially save wheat. A slice of bread a day saved by every family will mean a saving of a million loaves daily.

Use cornmeal, and eat less cake and wheat breakfast foods

Eat more vegetables and thus save cereals and meat.

Can, preserve or dry all surplus garden products or fruits from your home garden If you have a surplus give it to some one who will save it

Save clothing. Wear what you have and buy wisely. Pass on what you are not expecting to wear Save no food for moths.

Save leather It is needed for the army and is already short

Learn food values and true food economy Join food classes study food bulletins.

Save health, your own and that of your family, by attention to rest, recreation and higher life In the long run it is the sane and steady people who best serve the state and nation

Canning Sweet Corn

The abundance of good sweet corn in the county and its very excellent quality this year has induced many women who have never before canned corn to do so

Corn has always been one of the most difficult of all the vegetables to can satisfactorily and it is probable that more trouble has been had with it to keep it in good condition than anything which comes from the gardens here.

The old open kettle methods have been very generally discontinued and the government bulletins uniformly give the one period, cold pack method, as the only good way to can corn.

Mrs. E. D. Garver, 1283 South Illinois street who has already put up 350 quarts of vegetables and fruits will begin canning corn soon now She has canned corn for several years and has been uniformly successful with it. She has the advantage of having a steam cooker but that in itself only saves her time in the process

Here is the government way

Remove husk and silk Blanch 5 minutes on the cob Cold dip Cut corn from cob and pack directly in jars within ¼ inch of the top Fill with boiling water add level teaspoonful of salt per quart Put rubbers and caps into position but not tight Sterilize in the water bath for three hours

Corn between the milk and slough stage should be selected, and it should not be left in the cold dip water Slice from the cob with a thin bladed knife and pack into jars at once If a person is working alone it is advisable to cut off enough corn to fill one jar, put in the boiling water and salt, and start sterilizing at once Handle the corn quickly, is a good general rule

GET BULLETINS ON FOOD CONSERVATION

Every Woman Can Secure One From the Government.

In a letter to The Review Mrs. C. J. McConnell who is taking an intensive course in training for the organization of women of the University of Illinois suggests that the women of this county and particularly of Decatur should send to the government printing office at Washington for two bulletins "Ten Lessons in Food Conservation" and the other, "How to Prevent Typhoid Fever"

Mrs McConnell can emphasizes the value and need of the registration of women both in the food campaign and also in the Women's committee of the Council of National Defense She urges women not only to do their bit but their utmost

ARE CANVASSING FOR SIGNATURES

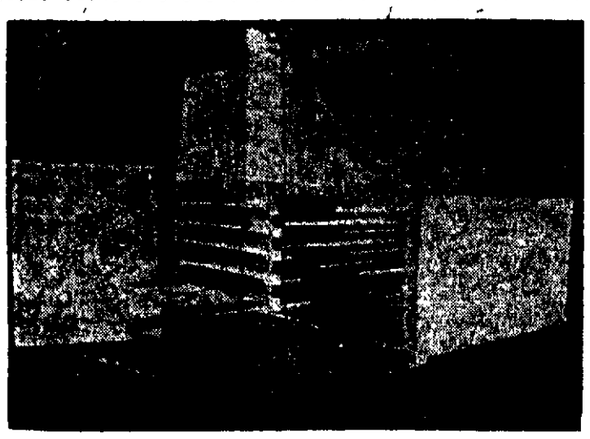
The women of the home food science league who are canvassing the city for signatures to food cards are meeting with a favorable reception in most places

The cards are merely for the purpose of getting the women to agree to conserve and save food to the best of their ability and do not involve any pledge for service other than a willingness to save and utilize all the food possible in every day life

That Was the Reason.

The paper states that you pleased a big audience at the banquet last night" The paper is wrong I did not appear" "Um, I guess the paper was right."

To Dry Fruits and Vegetables



WHITNEY DRYER.

Made by Frank R Snyder and W. H. Stafford at Mt. Pulaski.

HOME MADE DEVICE FOR SAVING FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Frank R Snyder and W H Stafford of Mt Pulaski, have made a vegetable and fruit drying machine for their wives that has proved a success Following the principle of the Whitney corn drier, manufactured in that city several years ago, they made a modern up-to-date machine to fit a modern up-todate steel stove range.

DESIGN.

The machine is 20 inches deep from front to back, 32 inches long and 15 inches high and stands on iron legs, 4½ inches high, covering the entire top of a modern range, fitting snugly under the warming oven or shelf of the range. The dryer has 10 shelves, five on each side, that slide in on racks, 2 inches apart. The shelves are made of half-inch strips of white pine braced from corner to corner with half inch stripes of the same material These shelves are covered with two thicknesses of mosquito bar, stretched tight, either tacked on or sewed on

The front of the machine has a door hung on three small hinges at the top and opens upward for slipping the shelves in and out The top of the drier is open, being covered with one thickness of mosquito bar to keep out flies and dirt On the bottom is nailed two rows of 2-inch strips of stove pipe iron with a half-inch opening between each strip There is a half-inch space between the upper and lower irons, the upper strips over laping the half-inch opening in the lower irons, this arrangement allows the heat from the top of the stove to be more evenly distributed throughout the dryer The legs are made out of an old buggy wheel tire, the ends of which are bent upward and back of the machine with screws, the long bend between resting on the stove top, making it solid and impossible to tip over or slide off of the stove This arrangement elevates the bottom of the dryer four and one-half inches above the top of the stove

The open space between the bottom of the dryer and top of stove is protected on the front and each end by strips of stove pipe iron five inches wide and attached to the bottom of the machine by small hooks These strips confine all the heat from the stove top under the drying machine

COST OF CONSTRUCTION

The above machine was constructed out of ⅞-inch boards that had been used as crates for window sashes and came from the Lyons Lumber co at Decatur The shelves were made out of lathes ripped and planed and cost the makers practically nothing The stove pipe iron strips cost at the hardware store 40 cents, the iron for the legs including the blacksmith work on them was 35 cents, door hinges and catches 10 cents screws and nails 10 cents, 4½ yards of mosquito bar for shelves and top, 64 cents Asbestos covering, 16 cents Total $1.75

HOW TO OPERATE

Cut the corn close to the cob with a sharp knife, spread evenly over each shelf—corn from about eight ears to a shelf Slide the shelves into the drier, close and fasten the door and keep a slow fire under the drier for about 18 hours Open the door occasionally and change lower shelves to top of machine, putting the upper ones on the bottom racks The shelves directly over the fire will dry faster than those over the cooler or back part of the stove Move those over the hot part of the stove to the racks over the back of the stove and vice versa.

Damper in back of stove must be kept closed and fire not allowed at any time to get too hot. Corn does not have to be heated on the cob to set the milk as in other ways of drying. There are only three operations, shuck the ear, cut corn off the cob, and put in dryer.

CAPACITY.

Mrs Stafford has dried in this machine in a little over two days, three and a half bushels of corn or about fifteen dozen ears, or 7½ dozen ears at a time, that being the limit of the machine for one drying. She has dried pears and apples with equal success in it The accompanying pictures shows the door open, one side filled with shelves and four of the shelves removed from the opposite side. One shelf on the life side is shown partly drawn out.

Go ahead and make your wife a dozen like this and those who eat her dried corn during the winter months will never cease to praise her the corn and you.

Mr. Snyder planned and did all the wood work on the above machine in about three hours, and Mr. Stafford added the iron work in another hour. Their wives put on the mosquito bar in two hours more And they all think it a days work well spent.

Mr Whitney, who 25 years ago, manufactured a drying machine similar to this, in Mt. Pulaski, got ten dollars a piece for the machines and when he could not sell any more at that price made a bonfire of what he had left on hand.

Several Mt. Pulaski people have been to see and get a pattern of this machine, one man, who is a tinner is making one all out of heavy tin

OLD RECIPE FOR DILL PICKLES

Answer to Many Inquiries Made to The Review.

A number of inquiries as to how to put up dill pickles have recently come to The Review and herewith is printed one which came across the seas from the old country and which has been used for many years here

Use medium sized green cucumbers and for four gallons of pickles use about ten cents worth of dill Put in a jar a layer of grape leaves, then one of dill, then one of cucumbers, Fill the jar in this way alternating the layers as started. Then make a brine strong enough to bear up an egg, pour over the pickles, drop in a few little red peppers and cover with a plate, placing a weight on it. This weight must not be too light or the pickles will not be immersed, nor should it be too heavy or the pickles will be flattened out and the shape spoiled.

Place the jar in the kitchen for about ten days and then the pickles will be ready for use Later they can be put in the cellar or storage room

Some people add cherry leaves to the grape leaves

Dill can now be bought in Decatur stores It has somewhat the appearance of fennel As a matter of fact it belongs to the fennel family.

Priscilla Pleasure Club.

Mrs Hannah Bailey, 502 South Church street, entertained the Priscilla Pleasure club at her home Thursday afternoon. After a short program of readings by Mrs F Field and Mrs Gertrude Field a luncheon was served by the hostess The next meeting will be with Mrs Leda Denner, on South Boyd street

HAS 350 QUARTS OF FOOD CANNED

Mrs. E. D. Garver Gets Fine Start on Winter.

MADE HER AN OUTFIT

Raised Great Deal of Food on Three Lots.

HOW MUCH DO YOU HAVE CANNED?

The Review would be glad to hear from Decatur housewives as to how much food they have put away for winter use. How many cans of fruits and vegetables have you put away. It's a matter of pride to have a full larder this year, and it's also a mark of patriotism. Drop a line to "Household department" care The Review, or call the office by telephone and tell how much you have canned

Mrs. E. D. Garver, 1283 South Illinois street, already has 350 quarts of food canned for winter with grapes, corn and pears still to come.

The best part of it is that practically every bit of the stuff that is on the pantry shelves at that house was grown right on the home grounds. The Garvers have three lots there and the amount of food which they have raised and saved from these lots is a revelation to the amateur food conserviet.

MADE HER AN OUTFIT.

Beginning in the early spring with the asparagus the saving of the food started and it has never stopped. Mr. Garver made for Mrs Garver a steam canning outfit and she goes at it in the very much approved government style and her results certainly justify both the steam canner and the study and work which she has put upon the task

Beans, peas, asparagus, tomatoes Blackberries and raspberries, strawberries, cherries, apples, mango and cucumber pickles water melon pickles, and a lot of fine dried corn

PLENTY IN CELLAR

They have nine bushels of potatoes and three bushels of onions already gathered and stored, and the potato and onion ground is now raising a crop of navy beans

They also have new radishes and lettuce just coming on and there are pears and apples still on the fruit trees which must be taken care of when they ripen, not to speak of the grapes which are just about ready to be canned.

It takes work, says Mrs. Garver, but those three lots will furnish a large part of the living of the family for the winter and spring.

Very little cash outlay has been made for all of this store of food and it is likely that the stock will be over 500 quarts before the canning season ends.

Named Division General of W. E. L.

—PHOTO BY REMBRANDT
MRS. W. L. HULL.

Mrs Hull is the newly appointed division general for the Woman's Emergency league and has already accomplished a great deal, Mrs. Hull is well known in social and church circles in Decatur, and under her capable direction splendid results in the work of the league are anticipated

Miss Alta Dawson has been named as adjutant general to assist Mr Hull

SHE CHANGES HER MIND; WILL COME

Miss Emaline Frey of Beloit to Be School Nurse.

Miss Emaline Frey of Beloit, Wisconsin, by the simple expedient of changing her mind once more, has solved a knotty problem for Superintendent Engleman Miss Frey will fill the difficult position of public school nurse. She was appointed to this place several weeks ago. Then she decided that on account of the state of her mother's health she could not come for some time after school opens.

After this she made up her mind that she could not come at all Now by special delivery letter she apprises the superintendent that she will be ready to come on for the opening of the schools Miss Frey has been highly recommended for the place

This closes one of the biggest gaps in the Decatur teaching staff. There remains the position of principal of the Mary W French school to be filled and this appointment will be threshed out at a meeting of the board Monday or Tuesday There are several available candidates for this place.

A FINE FIVE CENT DISH

Green Peppers Stuffed With Sweet Corn.

By Jeannette Hardman.

Cut the ends from the firm, fresh green peppers remove seeds and then place them on ice to chill Cut corn from cob, put it in a stewpan with some butter, salt, pepper and a little water, cook for about ten minutes remove from fire fill up the peppers with the corn, and place them in the oven for five minutes or so, but not long enough for the peppers to loose their shape Serve while hot Average cost of each pepper filled five cents

150 TEACHERS AT DECATUR MEETING

Hear Talk by Mrs. Mary Lyman—Elect During Institute.

About 150 Macon county teachers met Saturday in the circuit court room and listened to a talk by Mrs Mary Lyman county superintendent, on the work of the coming year The officers of the Macon County Teachers' association will be elected at the teachers' institute to be held Sept. 12, 13 and 14

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Bran, Lenfistry, for baking, 3 lb. bags 28c
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Rolled Oats, round package, per dozen $1.10, half dozen 55c
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Prunes, large sweet Santa Clara, 5 lb. bags 85c
Peaches, fancy Meurs, 5 lb. bags 85c
Seeded Raisins, fancy, 1 lb. package, dozen $1.50, two packages 25c
Maple City Soap, box $4.50
Flake White Soap, box $4.75
Ivory Soap, Box $5.75
Dutch Cleanser, dozen 90c
Kitchen Klenzer, dozen 50c
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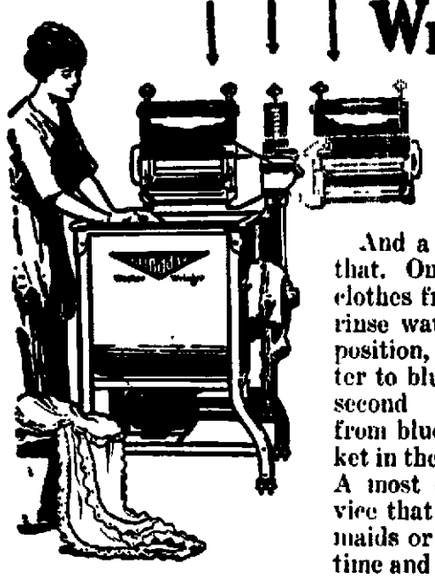

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LETTER FROM FIRING LINE

Walker Mills Writes of Wounded in France.

Walker Mills, who is with an ambulance corps in France, has himself been in a hospital for several days, owing to a sore finger, which necessitated an operation. This made the fourth time the finger had been operated upon

Mr Mills tells some interesting things concerning his experiences in France. Extracts from two of his letters to his parents, Mr and Mrs L. A Mills, follow

At a Hospital, Aug 2, 1917

Dear Mother —I have been in the hospital for three days and I expect to be here as much longer. That sore finger of mine necessitated an operation That makes four times it has been cut, and the last time was a real cut all down to the first knuckle clear to the bone

The trouble is Panaris and in English it is whitlow, whatever that may be It has acted like a felon and for ten days I was in misery and for four nights before I came here I could scarcely sleep, and the one immediately before I didn't sleep at all. No really, I did not My, how it did hurt I was taken to the operating room and given something to put me to sleep It wasn't chloroform, nor was it ether It is some form of ether however, but much quicker than the other two,

HEARS CANNONS

Some cannonading going on—has been for four days and nights—a steady roar We are nearer the line here than at J—— and the rumble has become a steady roar.

There are many wounded here They have three thousand beds but they are not all occupied now Poor fellows how some of them suffer! Did you ever hear a full grown man cry from sheer agony? It's not a pleasant sound, I assure you

They brought in a bunch of wounded last night from the Chemin des Dames One poor chap near me is pretty well shot to pieces although the worst wounded happen to be in another ward This is the 'light ward" I pity the heavy ward

I had a nice letter from J Hitchcock the other day and he hope to meet in Paris the last w in August

HONOR CONFERRED

Aug 7

Tonight I saw a touching little drama here in the hospital Across from me there is a man who appeared to be a peasant. Later I find he is a butcher by trade He was very badly injured by the shells Well, in came a captain of the Blue Devils and calmly proceeded to decorate the man with the Medaille Militaire and the Croix de Guerre with the palm The latter always accompanies the Medaille Militaire but seldom with the palm leaf, which indicates exceptional bravery The Medaille Militaire is quite rare and very very hard to get, but the Croix de Guerre is almost as numerous in distribution as the French army The odd part of it was that it came as a complete surprise to the man His comrade in his company asked that he be proposed for the Medaille Militaire Many tears were shed kisses bestowed etc I went over to congratulate him and if I had not been on my guard I should have received a kiss too Fact!

LEARNING FRENCH

I'm coming along quite nicely with my French I talk a good deal to a priest here He is a so-called mobilized priest and at present is an orderly Imagine! He is about the only well educated man here and certainly is a dear old soul

What groans! Some poor fellow coming out from the ether and feeling the pangs of the operation He has my sympathy

SOME PURCHASES

I just bought two oranges about as big as a walnut Look good though Oh yes the other day I bought a two-pound can of peaches and sat down with some cracker and never moved until I had finished the can That was the first sugar I had had since I left Paris

The weather has been very cold for the last few days The French can't understand heat prostrations and I can well believe it if this is a sample of their summer weather

FIRING LINE

(Extract from letters in camp)

July 17 1917

Yesterday we went up to the firing line and back On the way we went over a plateau about a half to three-quarters of a mile wide all of which had been fought over I never have seen such desolation The Bad Lands of Utah can't equal it We passed through what had been a village of a thousand inhabitants before the war and not a single house had been left standing—not one They were all of stone too as is usual with French villages in this section at least We were allowed an hour in it (due to a broken spring on one of the eighteen trucks), and during our wanderings I found a book torn and soaked by the rain but still legible It was a copy of the Napoleonic Code or rather a compend of French law I'll enclose it in the letter and hope it arrives safely Quite a souvenir I think As near as I can make out the inscription reads "This book belongs to Etienne Vorcen who lives at Missy-aux-Aisne May 12 1850"

There were many bullets and shells around and aerial bombs, one of which was not exploded

There was a graveyard near there full of German graves and each and every name on the headstones had been cut off The place was evacuated by the Germans on March 17 1917, and the French had done it since Some had the war cross on the headstones too Some dates were in 1914 and in one yard I found a German officer's grave with the date Dec 10, 1914

There are many things I would like to tell you, but I can't.

Love to everybody,
WALKER

D. H. S. BOY IN THE ARMY

ARTHUR HAVERSTOCK.

Arthur Haverstock writes from San Antonio, Tex., that he has been in the army three months and is now stationed at Fort Sam Houston. He likes the army work and is interested in the Decatur boys who have joined the army He was in high school here before he joined the army

DILLINGER BUILDS BIG NEW BARN

Structure At Broadway and Garfield for Horses.

B. L. Dillinger the horseman has bought half of the big stable that was at the race track It was 4. by 250 feet and he bought 24 by 140 feet of it and is using the materials in the construction of a new barn at the corner of Broadway and Garfield avenue The lumber is all white pine and is first class

The new stable will be 40 by 60 feet two stories high and will be well constructed throughout It will take thirty-six squares of roofing to cover it Mr Dillinger has eight stallions Percheron Shire and Belgian stock and he will conduct a breeding stable The stable has eight box stalls

WALKER BOY LIKES THE NAVY

RALPH W. OSBORNE.

Son of Mr and Mrs. Frank Osborne of Walker Ill., He enlisted at Decatur on May 8 as an apprentice seaman He is now a 2nd class seaman on a training ship at Portsmouth, N H. He says he likes the navy and is getting along fine He expects to be promoted to 1st class seaman in the near future

LUTHER F. MARTIN BACK FROM TRIP

Meets Former Decatur Man at Billings, Mont.

"Say do you know about that train" asked Luther F Martin, of a man sitting at the same table with him at breakfast at a Billings Mont. hotel, the other day "Sure I do," replied the other, "I am with the Northern Pacific here and I know about the trains"

"So you are from Illinois" he continued after finding out that Mr Martin came from the Prairie state "What part of Illinois are you from? he continued "Decatur? Little old Decatur" Say I used to be a dispatcher on the Wabash at Decatur Do you know Jim Stumpf? He and I used to work together in the Wabash offices at Decatur."

It turned out that the man was named Gallagher and that he worked in the Wabash dispatcher's office here years ago. He asked about a lot of the old Wabash men and was delighted to know that Mr Stumpf had reached the head of this division.

BACK FROM TRIP

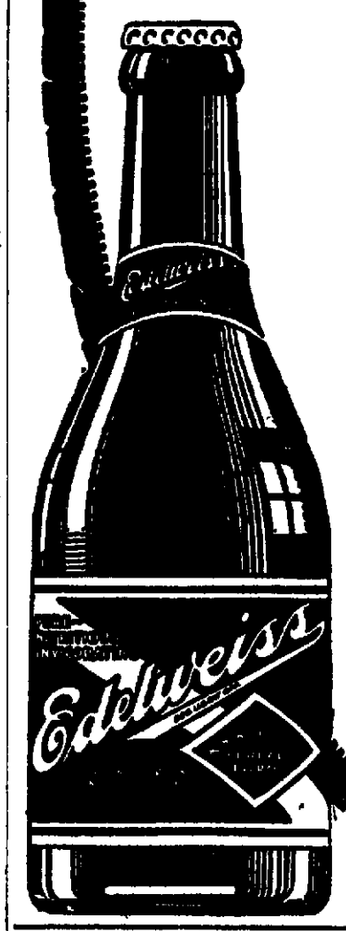
Mr. Martin returned from a trip to Twin Falls, Idaho, and a trip through the national Yellow Stone park. Mr. Martin reported that the crops on the irrigated lands were good but that the dry farming proposition this year had not been as successful as usual. In fact one of the biggest "dry farmers" out there said that while it had been dry last year it was "damned dry" this year.

Mr Martin confessed that he looked with considerable longing on the automobile tourists who were driving through the country as he rode by on the train. The big national park was full of both train and motor tourists

ABEL S. FERRE'S WILL IS PROBATED

Disposes of 325 Acres of Land to Children

The will of [illegible] Ferre disposing of 325 acres of land was filed for probate Friday and the hearing is set for Sept. 26. To the daughter, Nancy A Price, is left 60 acres in 33 15, 1 east, to the son Marshall A. Ferre, is left 80 acres in 2 15, 1 east, to a son Abel A. Ferre, is left 85 acres in 4, 14 1 east and to another son, Charles M. Ferre, is left 80 acres in 33, 15 1 east The personal property is to be divided equally among the children. William H Dean is named as executor.



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"FRIGHTFULNESS CAUSE OF WAR"

Declares Admiral Moore in South Wheatland Address—"Put the U. S. Flag in Germany," Says Speaker.

"Frightfulness, or Why We Are at War With Germany," was the theme of an address delivered by Admiral C. B. T. Moore of this city before the Anti-Horse Thief Association of South Wheatland township at its annual picnic held Thursday afternoon. The address was heard by a large and enthusiastic audience and The Review was asked by some of the hearers to reproduce it. The address follows:

"I am come here today to tell you my opinion as to why we are at wa

I find that many men more learned, better able to tell what they think and better known to the world than I am, hold the same views that I shall express today.

"In my travels to speak for recruiting, I have occasionally found that many men have had little time to investigate causes and that they were glad of information.

"It is to be understood that I do not assume that this audience is utterly ignorant of the questions of the war, or that there is nobody here who knows as much as I know.

ONLY LOYAL CITIZEN.

"The fact is that I am only a loyal citizen of the United States; that I realize the dangerous situation of our country, and that I am interested only in her success and safety.

"This war that is waging in Europe and that involves practically the whole civilized world, including the islands of the seas, is the result of the ambitions of Germany. It is the logical consequences of German kultur, better, of Prussian militarism It was forced upon the world by the German Emperor when all the other powers of Europe, even Austria-Hungary, desired peace. The proof of this statement is ample and clear, but I shall not have time to go more fully into that proof than to say that when the other nations had persuaded Austria-Hungary to consent to delay, and had hopes that Germany would consent to peace, the German Emperor, himself, touched the match that produced the explosion. This fact is easily seen by those who intelligently read the various statements of the governments of Europe, including that of Germany's government.

BOLD FRAUD.

The plea that Germany began this war to secure her from attack is the boldest fraud. No nation on earth had any intention of attacking Germany. On the other hand it was well known by men who understood these things that Germany, while industriously talking of peace, was feverishly preparing for war, and that she was intending to strike for the subjugation of Europe, and ultimately the domination of the world, as soon as her army and navy were considered ready.

"She chose her time when she thought England and Russia, because of domestic troubles, would be unable to come to the assistance of France, whom she intended to crush. She counted on the strength of the pacifist movement and a pro-German propaganda in the United States to cause us to submit to the indignities she has so bountifully heaped upon us.

U. S. STOOD NEUTRAL.

"The proof of insincerity can be found in the history of Prussia. Prussia you know being really Germany, it is fair to say that the German spirit of today is the spirit Prussia has shown, with the rare exceptions of the times when England was her ally, for two hundred years.

"When Germany launched her war machine upon Europe for the domination of the world, the United States stood neutral, and scrupulously maintained that neutrality, honestly trying to confine the war to the Old World.

"The heartless assault upon a small nation by Austria-Hungry, at the instigation, if not at the behest of Germany, because the Austrian crown prince had been murdered in Austria-Hungary by an Austrian subject; the over-running of Belgium and the campaign of frightfulness upon noncombatants, were treated by us without apparent concern, though our nation felt shocked almost beyond expression.

WAR ALL THAT WAS LEFT.

"Hardly had the war begun when Germany inaugurated a policy toward neutrals harly to be borne, and yet our government confined itself to peaceful efforts to obtain justice It was only after the government of the United States became convinced that no other means than force could secure our rights that it severed relations.

"The catalog of outrages upon American rights is a long one Throughout the war German agents have been at work in this country in violation of our neutrality. Even the German embassy has tried to shield these men, and members of the embassy staff have committed crimes against our safety.

"Our ships were attacked by Germans when engaged in lawful commerce before the Lusitania affair startled the world. That we refused to become the ally of Germany by placing an embargo upon our commerce because Germany could not get by the British fleet with supplies we were willing to sell to her, brought a threat from her ally, Austria-Hungary, in 1915, that when the Teutonic allies should be free of their present enemies we would be punished for our continuacy. Our ambassador to Germany was, according to his own statement subjected to insults unheard of since international law was established. We were bluntly told that unless we would assist in raising the blockade established by the British fleet, our citizens would be killed, in plain violation of international law and our ships ruthlessly sunk when found in certain regions, no matter what their errand nor where bound.

"It must have been that Germany desired war with us or she would never have thought of sending directions to us as to the painting of our ships, the precise route they might pursue, the character of their cargoes and finally the exact number to be sent.

WERE HUMILIATING.

"So humiliating were the terms made by Germany that our government could not believe them serious and it contented itself with suspending diplomatic relations, awaiting an attempt on the part of Germany.

"After all the efforts of our government to keep the peace nothing was left but to declare war or submit to become the ally of a nation that is avowedly our enemy. It could not be otherwise. We should be thankful that our government acted as it did.

"It might have been possible to overlook the distruction of an American ship or even the destruction of the life of an American citizen had it been done by inadvertance, and the German government had been willing to disavow the acts of murder, but when the United States was boldly informed that the killing was approved by the German government, and would be repeated so long as the United States attempted to exercise our legal rights upon the high seas, no other course than war was left.

"Decent freedom for this nation can not exist while any foreign power demands the right to order us to paint our ships like barbers' poles or checker boards and carry only such goods as it shall prescribe at times set at its choice by a particular path upon the seas, upon pain of having our ships sunk and our sailors murdered

REMEMBERS "BAD MEN"

"I can remember the day when there used to flourish in the city of Decatur the 'bad man" who swaggered about and frequently beat up a peaceful citizen on the highway. Two or three such men lived and flourished in Decatur in my boyhood The time came, however, when the due force of the community abated the nuisance, and the sidewalks of Decatur became safe for all men pursuing their lawful business. Bullies went out of style when they were properly punished.

"Germany is the 'Bad Man' among nations She assumes to take the sidewalks, yes, even the whole world herself. No other nation can have peace unless she can lick this 'bad man' Now what we are going to do is to make Germany realize that this world wants peace, a peace that will continue because nations can rest secure that the 'Bad Man' nuisance has been abated. We intend that the bullies among nations shall go out of business

IF GERMANY SHOULD WIN.

"But let us consider a little further what will surely come should Germany win this war, or if Germany should, freed of our allies by vanquishing them, we could expect to see a repetition of the brutal scents of Belgium in this war, we could expect to see repeated all the horrors against which we have cried out, in our hearts, for the past three years. With the strength of added territories and captured wealth, Germany would be able to give us very serious work to do on our own soil, and you may be sure she has the will to do it.

"The only hope for a peace that will not be a mere armed truce, is in inflicting such a defeat upon the kaiser and his dupes, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey, as will convince them that the nation thirsting to rob others of their rights is sure to find its Waterloo.

"So surely as the Teutonic alliance is allowed anything but severe defeat followed by total surrender of its present ambitions, so surely will we have to live on the top of smouldering volcanos, and sleep on our arms for years. Her defeat must be decisive—complete. Law among nations must be established upon firm and indestructiable foundations.

HOPES THEY'LL GO TO GERMANY.

"But the war is not yet won. How are we to win the war? I heard a friend of mine in a speech not long ago say: 'I hope our boys will not have to go to France.'

"I tell you that I hope our boys will not only go to France, but that they will go on to Germany, and that when peace is to be concluded, Old Glory will be flying over German soil.

"You may rest assured that a people that has been brought to believe that morals as understood by the whole civilized world, are of no value as a controlling force, when their interests are involved, will surrender only to force.

"You never control a highway robber till you have him in the clutches of the law, behind the bars. You will never subdue this robber nation until you make it understand that to disturb the peace of the world means certain defeat and severe punishment in its own land.

FIGHT IN ENEMY'S TERRITORY.

"No send our boys to France? Would you rather wait until we have to dig trenches in America? It is only the a. b. c. of war that the best way to win it is to fight in the territory of your enemy. Let his land be torn up, his crops lost, his people suffer the hardships instead of our own.

"By carrying the war into the enemy country you escape the ravages of war and can better maintain war forces in the field. It is because Germany has been able to keep the war in the enemy country that she is able today to send submarines to prey upon enemy commerce and neutral commerce. It is because she has kept the enemy off German soil that her productive fields have been able to feed her armies and her people nearly enough.

WAR GRIM AND HATEFUL.

"War is horrible, but when you are fighting it is well to fight with your brains and not yield to sentimentality. War is grim and hateful, but once in, we should bear ourselves so that our enemies should know us to be in earnest. On the fields of France or Belgium first, and in Germany later and only there is this war to be won.

"But there is work to do right here. If we shirk all the courage of all our soldiers and sailors will come to naught.

"There are said to be six millions of alien enemies living amongst us, about one in seventeen of the population. There are an uncertain number of pro-Germans, pacifists, and others of our citizens who are serving our enemies by one means or another.

"Many of the pacifists and others honestly believe they are loyal to the nation, and would take it much amiss to have their loyalty called in question.

NO MIDDLE COURSE.

"But at a time when the very existence of the free institutions under which we live are threatened from without there can be no middle course. Every man and every woman who owes allegiance to the American flag, the American Republic is either for the country or is against the country.

"You may hate war, and we all do that, with a righteous hatred, but we all owe unquestioning duty to our country when war comes, and we can not shirk it without becoming, in fact, disloyal no matter where our sentiments lie.

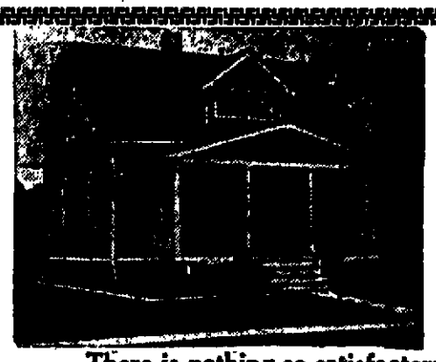
"If we are to win this war we must be a united people. We must put aside all purely personal and political and imaginary class interests and fall into line to support the president of the United States in his efforts for the safety of the whole country. The administration at Washington is charged with the execution of the duties of war, under the constitution and is our representative, our agent.

"Neither a party nor a committee of congress is competent to hold the reins in war. The details of the fight are the province of the commander-in-chief and must be left to him and his proper subordinates to work out.

"As long as the president remains in office he is entitled to our loyalty in war. To withdraw our support from him in his efforts in defense of our institutions is to strike our country.

"Being human he may not always take the step or make the move that some of us think the best one, but he has, we must admit, better opportunities to judge than we have and not only must be trusted, but ought to be loyally trusted.

"For my part I am ready to follow the lead of the president loyally wherever he may go in war. By this line of conduct only can we hope to succeed. By every American adopting the slogan 'America free, America first, Stand by the President,' we shall win the war and restore a lasting peace to mankind.



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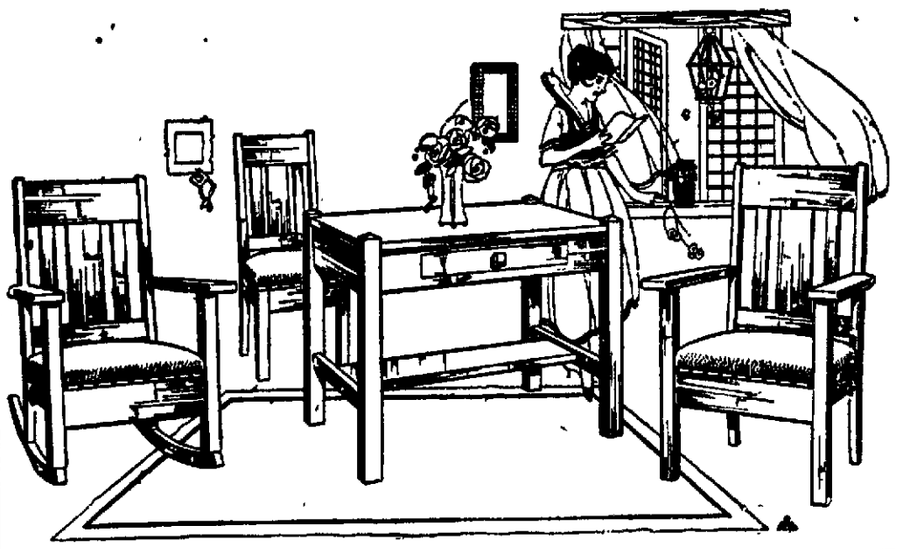

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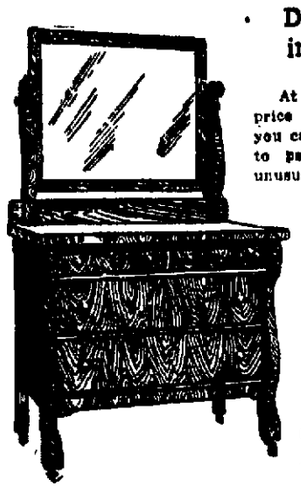

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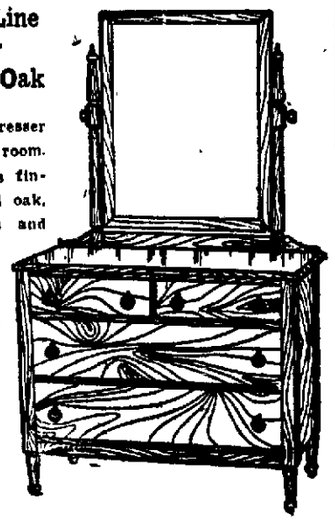

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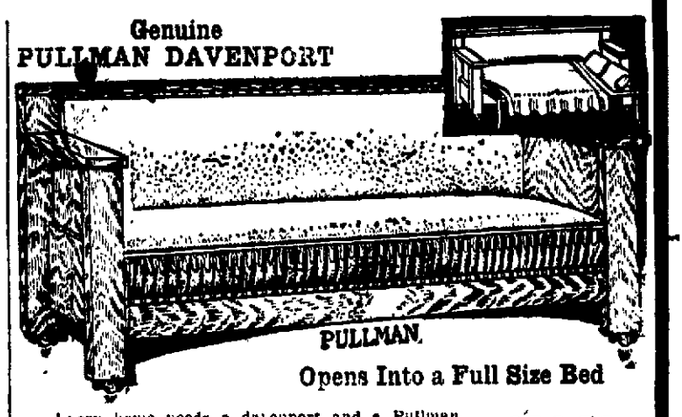

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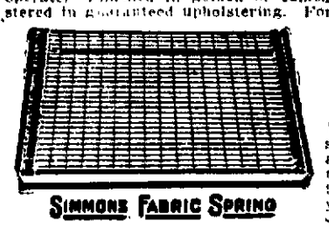

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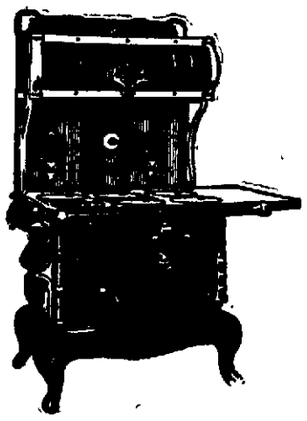

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Old Settlers Who Attended Annual Reunion

She's 84, But Enjoys Picnic

MRS. NOAH JACOBS.

Elwin woman who will be eighty-four years old in December, spent the day at the Jacobs reunion Thursday and enjoyed it as much as any of the young people She has five sons and one daughter living besides sixteen grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren

—PHOTO BY REMBRANDT STUDIOS

At Fairview Last Thursday.

Top row, left to right—O L. Stuart of Oreana S Dinger of Friends Creek
Bottom row—A T Davis of Decatur Benjamin Frazee residing west of Decatur and Anderson Draper of Decatur

OLD SETTLERS SHOW PATRIOTISM

Adopt Resolutions at Annual Reunion.

Many other big picnics and reunions throughout Macon county cut the attendance at the annual reunion of the Macon County Old Settlers in Fairview park Thursday so that the crowd did not exceed over 800 at any time during the day The outing was greatly enjoyed by all present Patriotism was the leading idea running throughout the talks during the day Among the old settlers who spoke on 'old times' during the afternoon were J A Cochran A Ray, David Livier and Robert Evans

During the afternoon, a finance committee was named composed of Rev J T Finley, Commandant Thomas Williamson, J J Garter and William Bradley The collection amounted to $2. The organization heartily approved the report of the resolutions committee composed of President A. P Cobb, Secretary J T Finley and Commandant Williamson, the report being as follows.

RESOLUTIONS

'We—the committee of resolutions

Desire to express our thanks to Mr Torrence for his thorough-courtesy and assistance as heretofore on the occasion of our annual reunion for use of pavilion and grounds which have been kept in such excellent order

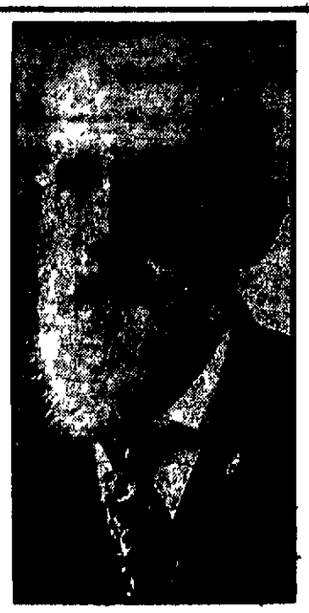
"Resolved—That we fully appreciate the kindness of the following named gentlemen in placing their automobiles at the disposal of the association in accommodating the old settlers for an outing Frank Torrence park custodian O B Gorin W L Shellabarger, George Connard Harry Ruthrauff, A M Kenney, J M Brownback

"Resolved—That we most heartily commend the President of our nation for his immortal answer to the peace suggestions of Pope Benedict XV We have read with deep respect and appreciation the tender, impressive message of the great head of the Catholic Communion We sympathize deeply with his beneficient purpose but, we are profoundly convinced that our President has chosen the only practicable way to a speedy, a certain and a lasting peace—a peace which shall not only make democracy safe in this world but which shall make the honor of womanhood and the sweet innocence of childhood forever safe in the world

C. C. Club Meets.

The C C Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs Fred Ohmann at her home two miles northwest of town

Danville News—In days of old when nights were cold,
It didn't take much iron,
To keep up fire and run your sire—
Coal wasn't five buck a ton



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ANDREW RAY,

1535 North College, oldest old settler attending. He is just a few months older than Anderson Draper, and is a little past ninety years

Mr. Stuart was born in a log cabin across the street west from where the Linn and Scruggs store now stands That was eighty-four years ago on the fifteenth of next month Mr. Dinger is only sixty-seven years old and was therefore considered a youngster in the picture. He has lived in Macon county sixty-four years Mr Davis is going on his eighty-seventh year He came to Decatur in 18 8 and has attended every one of the Old Settlers reunions with the exception of one, when he was too ill to attend Mr. Frazee, who is about 84 years and Mr Draper, who is about ninety are already well-known from previous articles both of them having been "Forty-niners"

VEECH-WHEELER FAMILY REUNION

A. J. Veech, Aged 81, of Sangamon, Oldest Member Present.

With 106 members of the Veech Wheeler families present the fourth annual reunion and picnic held in Fairview park Saturday afternoon was one of the most successful which the families have held

The tables were arranged in the form of a T in the pavilion and both sides of the tables were lined with picnickers A J Veech aged 81, of Sangamon was the oldest member of the family present for the reunion

For the most part the members of the families came from Long Creek and Oakley townships The attendance this year was materially affected by the late threshing in that vicinity which made it imperative that some of the members stay away from the reunion

Among those present from out of town for the occasion were, Mrs Mary Wheeler, of Freeport, Ill.; Mrs N Ricketts of Los Angeles, Cal, Mrs L Andrews Chicago and Mrs Ella Lichtenberger Wichita, Kan During the afternoon a short business meeting was held The remainder of the time was spent socially

RECEPTION FOR NEW TEACHERS

Will Be Held At St. Johannes' Hall Sunday Evening.

The reception for the two new teachers of St Johannes' school planned by the Sewing circle of the church will be held on Sunday evening in the school hall The teachers are to be installed at the morning service at the church

Everybody is invited to attend the reception Music will be furnished by an orchestra and refreshments will be served

PICNIC NUMBER OF MUELLER RECORD

First Copies Filled With Good Pictures of the Parade.

The first copies of the Mueller Record the monthly magazine for the Mueller employes is just off the press and is a picnic number devoted entirely to matters about the picnic It is filled with many good pictures taken of the parade and on the picnic grounds and also contains numerous cartoons about members of the firm and employes

NO CRIMINALS AND NO MILLIONAIRES

In Record Family—Reunion is Held.

The fact that there had never been to their knowledge, any criminals in the family, and also, it might be mentioned, there had been no millionaires, was one of the interesting things learned by the members of the Record family in their national reunion, which was held Wednesday at the country home of James L Record, about three miles from Edinburg, Ind. Those from this vicinity attending the gathering were John A. Record of Decatur and Rev. Charles F Record of Newman.

Nine states were represented at the reunion, about 350 people being present altogether. Naturally, it was a most interesting and delightful occasion to the members of the family. Another national reunion will be held in two years.

BACK TO 1735.

The family record was traced as far back as the year 1735 when John Record came to this country from Wales. His son, Josiah, who fought in the Revolutionary war, had six sons and six daughters It is their descendants who are scattered now all over the United States It was interesting to hear the old white haired men of the family tell of their recollections of the family history

The history of the family is being compiled

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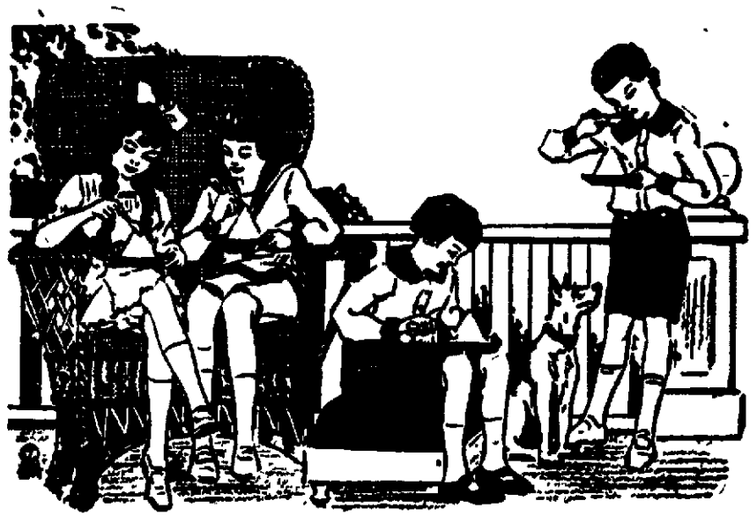

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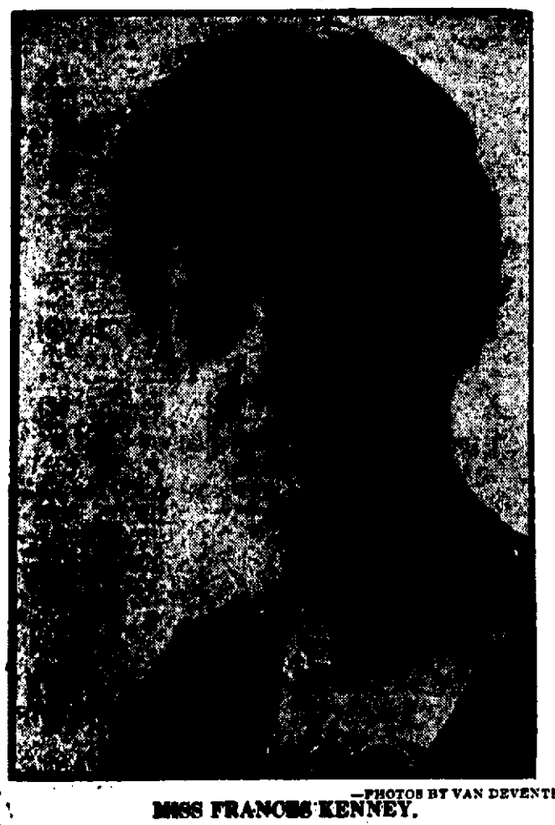

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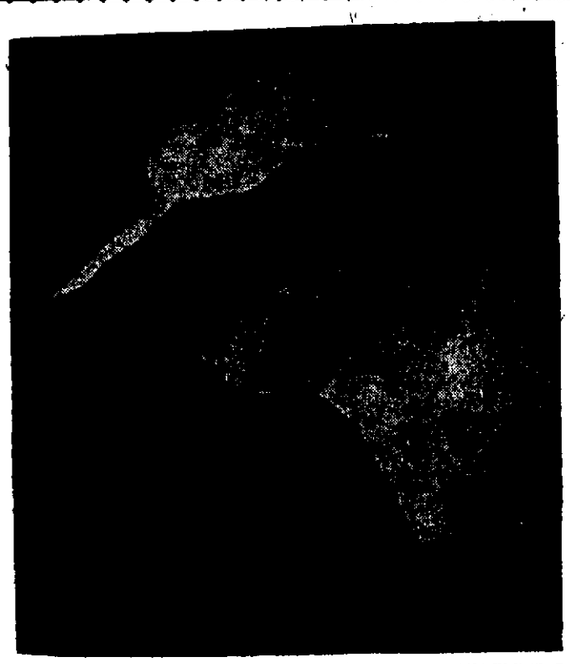
MISS FRANCES KENNEY.

Her Engagement Announced



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MISS BEATRICE SUFFERN.

Announcement of Miss Suffern's approaching marriage to Harold B. Kenney was made Saturday at the luncheon given by Miss Frances Kenney.

Her Husband Entering Army

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MRS. CLARENCE BOWERS.

Guest of Mayor and Wife

MISS MARIE LEACH.

Miss Marie Leach daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Leach of Chicago, is a guest of Mayor and Mrs. Dan Dinneen at their home on North Water street. Miss Leach is a niece of Mayor Dinneen.

Society

BEATRICE SUFFERN AND H. B. KENNEY

Announcement of Engagement of Couple.

ROSE and yellow were prettily intermingled at the delightful luncheon given Saturday afternoon at the Hotel Orlando by Miss Frances Kenney, at which announcement was made of the approaching marriage of Miss Beatrice Suffern and Harold B. Kenney. The wedding is to take place on Oct. 4.

The twelve guests of Miss Kenney were seated at a table which had for its centerpiece an oblong flower box, encased at the base with rose silk, and filled with a profusion of golden glow, golden rod, mingled with a rose colored feathery plant. From out this box came two little cords to one of the places. When these two cords were pulled they brought forth two small white poles, with a rose silk banner surrounded by rose cord, between. On this banner was written the names of Miss Suffern and Mr. Kenney, and the date of the wedding. The yellow color was also carried out in the four candles, with shades, which stood at either end of the flower display.

The place cards were unique and pretty. They resembled little chairs, with three wooden pieces as the legs, and a high back made of cardboard, on which hollyhocks were painted. Nut cups, tied with rose ribbon, rested on them.

The only out of town guest at the event was Miss Gertrude Turner of Peoria, who is the guest of Miss Suffern.

Miss Suffern is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Suffern, and is one of Decatur's most prominent young woman. Mr. Kenney, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kenney, is manager of the savings department of the Citizens' National bank.

The wedding will make the second one in the Kenney family within a month. Miss Helen Kenney's marriage to John H. Powers will take place on Sept. 12.

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MRS. DAN MACKNET and daughter Eunice, returned home Saturday noon from their trip to the Pacific coast. They have been away all summer.

Their first visit was at Flagstaff, Ariz., where they were guests of Mrs. Mackenet's sister, Mrs. Delia Evans, and her daughter, Mrs. Earl Rosenbery. About six weeks were spent at Flagstaff, and during the stay there they made many trips to interesting places about that vicinity, including the Canyon.

Their next stop was at Pasadena, Cal. In California they also visited at Los Angeles and San Francisco, went down to the Ocean Park beach, and spent a few days at the Catalina Islands. On the return they stopped at Salt Lake City, Colorado Springs and Denver.

All the time they were away they had delightful weather. The only time they experienced hot weather was when they went through Needles, Cal., where it was 115 degrees. The temperature at Needles often goes into the 120s. At Los Angeles the weather has been warmer than usual this year.

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MRS. CHARLES W. LAKE, who was formerly Miss Jessie Lyon, was the guest of honor at a fruit shower given by Miss Abbie Pratt Friday afternoon to about twenty-five guests, and the recent bride received a nice supply of jellies, fruit, and the like.

Miss Virginia Shade was at the door. In the dining room Miss Pratt was assisted by Mrs. George Tucker and Mrs. Louis Shade. The gifts for Mrs. Lake were brought in a basket by Georgiana Lyon and Jeannette Shade, and the presentation was made by Mrs. H. C. Schaub. Pastimes of the afternoon were sewing, knitting, and some entertainment features. Asters and Ward roses were the flowers used in decorating the house.

Out of town guests were Mrs. W. R. Buckmaster of St. Louis, Mrs. Langrum of Texas, Mrs. Earle M. Dawson of Elkwood, Va., and Mrs. Harold Fox of Chicago.

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Samuel Elwood, who has been in the naval reserve corps at New Haven, Conn., returned to Decatur Saturday morning. He has a leave of absence in order to return to college and on Sept. 25 he will again take up his work at Princeton.

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It is hoped there will be a good attendance at the meeting of the Pan-Hellenic club this week at the home of Mrs. Carl Dick, to sew for the Red Cross.

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LABOR day will be duly celebrated at the Country club Monday. During the day the men will have a golf tournament similar to the one held on July 4. In the evening there will be a dinner-dance. Names of the dinner-dance should be sent in to the club not later than 11 o'clock Monday morning.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Boruff and daughter, Mildred, spent a few days at Atlanta last week. While there they attended the fair.

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Miss Diane Conklin will have several guests this week. Miss Leta Helm will come over from Springfield Sunday, and on Wednesday Miss Ethel Bache will come from Chicago.

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Miss Klare Segar will return today from Indianapolis where she has been visiting for a week.

Will Be Bride in September

MISS ANNA SPAETH.

Miss Anna Spaeth and Robert Assmann are to be married Tuesday Sept. 18 at 8 o'clock in the morning, in St. James' Catholic church. Miss Spaeth is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Spaeth, 851 East Cantrell street. Mr. Assmann is associated with the Peoples State Bank in Detroit, Mich.

—PHOTO BY REMBRANDT

MRS. EARLE M. DAWSON.

Charming young woman of Elkwood, Va., who is visiting at the home of Mr. Dawson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dawson. This is her first visit to Decatur since her marriage to Mr. Dawson a few months ago.

MRS. W. J. Grady returned Saturday from Chicago where she had played in the Women's Western golf championship tournament during the week at Flossmoor. Mrs. E. J. Brown also was entered in the tournament. She will return home Sunday.

Mrs. Grady failed to qualify last Monday on account of her handicap. On Tuesday she qualified in the first flight in the consolation; on Wednesday she was put out by Mrs. Duggan of Midlothian; on Thursday she played in the mixed two ball foursome. She has not yet heard how the latter was decided.

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Mrs. George E. Roe has returned to Kansas City after visiting with her sister, Mrs. F. J. Dudley.

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MISS Helen Cleland, superintendent of the Decatur and Macon County hospital, has returned from a month spent camping among the lakes of Maine. She went first to Meddybemps Lake, and after a visit there she went on to Eastport, Me., and on her return trip, made a short stop in Boston.

Miss Ethel Goss left Saturday for her vacation. She also went east, first to Westfield, Mass., where she will visit her brother who is in the military camp there and after visiting him she will go to Berlin, N. H., for the rest of the time.

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Miss Jeannette Rogers is the guest of friends in Bloomington. She went up last Tuesday and will return some time this week.

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The Tay Bridge club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. G. D. Steele, three tables being at play. The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. E. F. Dunne, 519 West Eldorado street.

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Mrs. G. D. Steele left Saturday afternoon on the Continental Limited for Kansas City, where she will join Mr. Steele for a few days.

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Supper served out on the lawn, which was lighted with Japanese lanterns, was so thoroughly enjoyed by the thirty people who attended the picnic of the Tuesday Sewing club Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest File, that they did not care to go indoors at all. When the moon arose, the yard was so pretty that the entire evening was spent in conversation. The members of the club had invited their husbands to the supper.

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Mrs. R. E. Persinger and daughter, Roberta, leave today for Hot Springs, Ark., to be gone several weeks.

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Mrs. Amedee Tete of New Orleans left Thursday for her home after her visit with Mrs. Ida C. Voorhies. She was accompanied to New Orleans by Mrs. Voorhies' niece, Ellen Voorhies, who has been spending the summer here.

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Miss Ruth Reynolds of Jacksonville is the guest of Richard and Virginia Gray, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard G. Gray. Her brothers, Lloyd and Richard Reynolds, brought her over in their car. She will probably be here until school begins.

WOMEN PLAY FOR GOLF SCORES

Good Work on Country Club Links.

FOUR Decatur women golfers played Saturday at the Country club course for the Western association par trophy. They were Mrs. W. J. Grady, Mrs. Charles G. Powers, Miss Adele Blackstone and Mrs. Robert P. Vail. The first three were 14 down on par, while Mrs. Vail was 17 down on par. Considering the fact that par is the very best that can be made on a course, and considering the condition of the course at present, these scores were very good.

Each association belonging to the Western association is to have a team of four, the team made up of those having the lowest handicap, play on their home course for this trophy. The results of these plays are to be sent in to the Western association, and the team which has the best score will be awarded the trophy.

The golf play at the Country club Wednesday afternoon will be for the Western friendship pin. The luncheon will be served at 12:30 as usual.

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EITHER the Fishing club is not living up to its name or the members are trying to prove that other places are not so good, for two of the members, F. L. Stevenson and W. E. Adams, have gone to Quiver Beach on a fishing trip.

Other members of the club have the "Wanderlust" too and this week several families have left for short trips. Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Will Clark Jr. and their family, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Meris and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lewis left in their cars for Starved Rock and Deer Park. Miss Helen Stevenson has also left the club. She left Friday for Elkhart, Ind. where she is to do library work.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Shade spent the week at the club with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Shade.

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Red Cross knitting occupied the time of Miss Isabel Dawson's guests at an informal lawn party Saturday afternoon. The affair was for Miss Dawson's cousin, Mrs. Earl Dawson, of Elkwood Va. and the other out of town guests were Miss Marguerite Rooke of Cedar Rapids, Ia. and Miss Ethel Barnett of Frankfort, Ohio. After the knitting was put aside a delightful luncheon was served.

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Mrs. F. C. Roby and her daughter Miss Helen, who have been making their home in Des Moines, Ia. are moving back to Decatur and will take their old house on West North street. Mrs. Roby expects to be in Decatur by Sept. 12 and Miss Helen will probably come a week later.

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Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Mills have returned home after spending two weeks at the Friends Chautauqua near McNabb. This is a yearly meeting of the Friends, and is always held in the same place.

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SEVERAL events were given the past week in honor of the G. E. Chamberlain family, which leaves Decatur soon for Toledo, O.

Last Sunday evening Dr. and Mrs. M. W. Fitzpatrick had eight guests at dinner at the Country club complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain. The centerpiece for the table was a beautiful mound of ferns, red roses and daisies. A six course dinner was served.

Monday evening Mrs. E. L. Harris entertained at the Fishing club for Mrs. Chamberlain. She had three tables of five hundred. As the weather was rather cool that day, there was a cheery fire in the grate and a three course hot supper was served. Baskets of goldenrod, tied with yellow tulle, decorated the house.

Miss Marguerite Chamberlain was given a farewell party by Misses Ruth Carter and Marjorie Lowry Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Carter. Twelve girls were guests, and each brought Miss Marguerite an appropriate remembrance gift. Decorations were marguerites and asparagus ferns, and the refreshments were marguerites and Neopolitan ice cream. The girls played games and had music, which was furnished by Miss Chamberlain, Erma Acton, and Frances Post.

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Mrs. Frances Marshall and daughter, Miss Marian, returned Wednesday morning from Florendale, Silver Lake, Mich., whee they have been spending the last six weeks. They had a delightful stay there. There have been many activities at this summer resort this season, among them a number of benefits for the Red Cross.

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Miss Doris Roach will entertain a number of friends at a shower for Miss Helen Kenney Tuesday afternoon at her home.

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THIS month will see the departure of some of Decatur's young folks for school at other places. Many will return to the same schools they attended last year, while others are making a change and will go elsewhere.

Miss Ione Staley will leave a week from Sunday for Ferry Hall at Lake Forest. Last year she was at Mary Baldwin seminary at Staunton, Va., and finished a course in piano. Her brother, Bruce, also will go to Lake Forest this year.

Miss Charlotte Mueller will return to Miss Wheeler's school at Providence, R. I., but does not leave until the latter part of the month.

Nate Cook will reenter Notre Dame university this fall. He will leave a week from Monday for that place.

Miss Gertrude Parke will leave the middle of September for Farmington, Conn. to resume her work in the school there.

Ebert Mueller, William Parke and Philip Cruikshank leave Sept. 18 for Hotchkiss school, Lakeville, Conn. All three attended this school last year.

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Edward Evans, Floyd Hunt and Herbert England will return to the Taft school, Watertown, Conn., during the early part of this month.

Miss Lucile Gray is going to Miss Maderia's school in Washington, D. C., this year and will leave the last of the month. Her brother, James, who attends the University of Illinois, will be a senior this year.

William Voorhies will leave this week for the Gulfcoast Military academy near Biloxi, Mass., which he will attend this year.

Clarence Mueller, who is to go to Western Military Academy this winter, will leave in a few weeks.

Miss Louise Gushard will return to Fairmont seminary at Washington, D. C., this fall. She does not go for a while yet, however, as school does not open until in October.

Mrs. E. A. Zust, formerly Miss Clara Chamberlain, will re-enter Smith college this fall.

Miss Mary Fox will enter Oberlin college this fall.

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Miss Marjory Williamson, of Greencastle, Ind., has returned home after a visit with the Porter J. Millikin family.

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Mrs. Dan Martin has gone to Charleston for a short visit.

Mrs. Charles Wham, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Huston, has returned to her home in Centralia. Before coming to Decatur Mrs. Wham spent two weeks in Springfield with her husband, Captain Wham, who is stationed there with his company.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Hart returned Friday from Hillsboro where they have been visiting Mr. Hart's parents.

Dr. William Chenoweth has gone to Mackinac Island, Mich., for a two weeks' vacation.

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Mrs. Theron Powers accompanied her daughter, Mrs. C. N. Bassett, to Chicago Thursday. Mrs. Bassett is on her way home to El Paso, Tex., and she expected to leave Chicago Saturday. Mrs. Powers will return home today.

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Mrs. G. W. Scovill and Mr and Mrs. F. G. Carpenter have returned from Long Island where they have spent the past month at the seashore

Miss Mary Wheelhouse is the guest of Miss Adele Murphy. During the summer she has been with her mother at Utica, N. Y., and is now on her way to Kirkwood, Mo., where she will teach this year. She will leave Decatur in a few days for Kirkwood.

Mrs E. A Zust, formerly Miss Clara Chamberlain, came down from Chicago Saturday night to visit with her parents, Mr and Mrs G. E Chamberlain, until they leave for their new home in Toledo, O

Mrs. Zust expects to resume her school work in Smith college at Northampton, Mass this fall Her husband, who is a member of the National Guard is now at Rockford

Mrs W. H McGaughey entertained a few friends from Decatur at her home in Mt Zion Friday the guests motoring out in the morning and back to town late in the afternoon In the party were Mrs Frank Wilker Mrs Earl Dawson Miss Neva Welsh, Miss Marian Marshall and Miss Edith Dawson

Miss Virginia Hunt has returned home after spending several weeks in Dr. Sargent's camp in Petersboro N. Y. On the way home she visited in Buffalo and Niagara Falls and Detroit From there she took a boat to Chicago

FRIENDS of Miss Virginia Bowyer of Springfield, formerly of Decatur, will be interested in knowing what she has been doing for the fatherless children of France. A Springfield paper has the following to say of her work

"The cries of the fatherless children of France, whose fathers have been killed in the war, or who are fighting with the allies against Germany, have reached the ears of Miss Virginia Bowyer, daughter of Rev. and Mrs S. H. Bowyer

"Miss Bowyer, who for the last year has been a teacher of English at the Converse Junior high school was deeply touched by the appeals for aid for these little ones. After school hours and during spare moments she cut out and completed one hundred and five garments, most of which are of outing flannel for these suffering children Her work of charity was done unbeknown to anyone only members of her immediate family

Having completed that number she inquired of the Red Cross just how to send the garments to the proper destination The Red Cross society agreed to take them in charge and they will probably reach France for Christmas

In addition, Miss Bowyer had adopted two of the fatherless children of France paying for their upkeep for one year

James Grey will go to Chicago the last of the week to attend a reunion and banquet which his fraternity the Hus, will have at the Hotel Sherman

WOMAN'S CLUB OPENS SEASON

First General Meeting on Wednesday.

THIS week will see the opening of activities by the Decatur Woman's Club for the coming season The first general meeting of the fall will be held Wednesday afternoon Sept 5 The directory meeting will be at 1 45 as usual followed by the business session at 2 30 After that the program will be given

The feature of the afternoon will be the address by the tuberculosis expert nurse Miss Ida Spaeth There will also be a talk on the work of the National Council of Defense by Mrs D C Beatty If there is time there will also be informal talks which should contain some variety as they will include one from the president Mrs Dan Macknet who has been to the western coast this summer and one from Mrs Inez J Bender who has been to the eastern coast

The musical numbers on the program will consist of the singing of "America" by all and two vocal solos, "All for You" and "Into My Life she Came" by Miss Sylvester Gable

Mrs Macknet will preside at the meeting

Dr and Mrs O G Collins and Dr and Mrs F. J Mittan left this morning for Bear Island, High Lake, Wis., where they will spend two weeks fishing

Mr and Mrs P P Laughlin, 141 Park Place, have returned from a two weeks' visit in Ohio and Chicago They were accompanied home by Mrs. Laughlin's sister, Mrs Mary Coder, of West Point Va, who will visit here for a while

Soldier Kept Wedding Secret

CLARENCE E. MORAN.

Miss Edna Reed and Clarence E Moran were married in Indianapolis June 30 but did not announce it until a few weeks ago Mr Moran who is the son of Mr and Mrs R L Moran 757 East Whitmer street is enlisted in the army and at the time of the wedding was stationed in Indianapolis He was ordered south this week and Mrs Moran has come to Decatur to live with his parents for the present

Both Mr and Mrs Moran attended the Decatur high school and Mrs Moran for a while attended the university here

MARRIED.

MOUNTS-FREEMAN

Hoyt Mounts 902 West Eldorado street and Miss Ora Freeman 408 East King street were quietly married Saturday evening at 6 at the parsonage of the First Christian church by Rev Robert F Henry The couple were unattended

The couple will go to housekeeping in Decatur at once Mrs Mounts has made her home with her aunt Mrs E L Hale 408 East King street for some time The groom is employed as a clerk at the H Mueller Manufacturing Company

BECHTEL-ROSS

Miss Lena Mae Ross of Decatur and Michael Bechtel formerly of Decatur were quietly married by Rev L H Shues at his home 317 West Eldorado street Saturday evening at 8 o'clock

Mr and Mrs W I Bechtel parents of the groom Mr and Mrs I W Chanoweth and Mr and Mrs I D Miller of Indianapolis were present for the ceremony

Mr Bechtel is employed in Springfield as a mechanic in a garage there The couple left immediately after the ceremony for Springfield where they will start to housekeeping at once

KELLY-FARCHAL

Richard Kelly and Miss Lela Farchal both of Decatur, were married at 7 o'clock Saturday afternoon the ceremony being performed by Judge L H McCoy at the court house The groom is a molder

FOX-SIPE

Miss Leah May Sipe 231 South Main street and Emel Fox also of Decatur were married in Springfield Saturday afternoon by Rev Samuel Pierce of Waverly Ill a close friend of the young couple Mr and Mrs Fox returned to Decatur Saturday and will go directly to their new home just furnished by them at 1161 North Union street Mr Fox is an inside decorator employed by A Hartman Mrs Fox came to Decatur from Atwood several years ago attended the Millikin Conservatory of Music and for the past three years has been a teacher of music here

Young Doctor in U. S. Service

DR. JOHN M. HAYES.

The picture shows Dr. John M. Hayes of Decatur as he appeared after reaching Washington D C and getting on his army uniform He is the son of Mr and Mrs M Hayes, 875 North College street, is the older of two sons now in the service of the country and expects to be on his way to France now in a very short time

FLORIDA TOURISTS MEET AT FAIRVIEW

Piatt and Macon County Travelers to Attend Picnic.

Macon and Piatt county people who have made tours to Florida in the past few years have been invited to attend a picnic to be held at Fairview park on Thursday Sept 6 The object of the gathering is perfecting of an organization which will probably be called the Macon Piatt Florida Tourist Association All those who attend have been asked by the committee to bring well filled baskets

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9:10 A. M.	Limited		6:10 P. M.	Local
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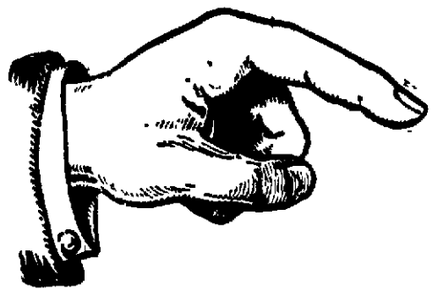

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City Clerk Jerome J. Heger received a new supply of copies of the fish and game laws Saturday [illegible] which [illegible] there at this season for the average hunter is hard to figure out A recent amendment to the game laws prohibits any one hunting on the public highway under penalty of a fine of from $5 to $2[illegible] If the hunter climbs over the fence to shoot he is liable to arrest for trespassing [illegible] are equipped with [illegible] planes and if he cannot get permission from a farmer to hunt he might as well stay at home

The dove season closed Friday night and the rabbit season opens Saturday morning [illegible] the convenience of the hunting public who will be on [illegible] Heger will keep his office open [illegible] the evening

STENOGRAPHER IN THE NAVY

Eddie Burg Leaves Monday for Peoria.

After making two attempts to enlist in the navy when other members of the K. of C. enlisted, Eddie Burg, stenographer in the office of States Attorney Jesse L. Deck, has at last landed a "billet," and a good one When a little boy Eddie had his left arm broken When the bones knitted together again the arm was left with a slight crook in it This did not lessen its strength or usefulness and could not be noticed unless he rolled up his sleeve but it was sufficient to prevent his acceptance Finally, however, stenographers were needed in the navy department and recruiting officers were authorized to overlook minor disqualifications and last Tuesday Eddie went to Peoria and took the examination for first class yeoman and passed easily. He has been assigned to duty at the Peoria navy recruiting office and will go to Peoria Monday reporting for duty Tuesday morning He will receive close to $100 a month.

WILL BE MISSED.

Eddie Burg has been stenographer in the office of States Attorney Deck for several years and has been competent and efficient. He is familiar with all forms of court instructions and has been a valuable man.

"I dont know where I shall be able to get as good a man for this office" said States Attorney Deck "Whenever I want a set of instructions I only have to tell Eddie what kind of a case the instructions are wanted for and he goes ahead and writes them. I never have to waste any time dictating them to him. He has written them so often he knows them as well as I do. I don't like to part with him, but the navy offers him a splendid opportunity for success and I would not stand in his way. I am afraid that I will have a hard time getting a good man to take his place Many of the young men stenographers have enlisted in various branches of the government service and about all others who are physically fit for soldiers have been drafted. It looks to me as though there would be a great scarcity of young stenographers in Decatur for some time."

EDDIE BURG.

First Class Yeoman. Lands in the navy at last

NEW TEACHER AT THE COLLEGE

G. R. Mitchell Will Be Instructor in Wood Wind.

When the Decatur Musical college opens this month for the fall season one of the new teachers will be G. R. Mitchell, who will have charge of the wood wind instruments instruction.

G. R. MITCHELL.

Mr. Mitchell comes from Wisconsin. He began his musical studies at the age of ten under the instruction of his father who was a baritone soloist. In 1898 he began special work on the clarinet with Carl Bandelius, with whom he studied for two years In 1900 Mr. Mitchell was appointed solo clarinet with Dana's Third Wisconsin Regiment band, in 1902 he became principal musician of the same band, holding that chair until 1907.

Mr. Mitchell taught clarinet and saxophone for two years at the La-Crosse Conservatory was solo clarinet with C. F. Toenniges Third Illinois Regiment band, and during the past year has been with the Beaumanoir Commandery band under the direction of A. W. Shade

LETTER FROM SON IN FRANCE

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Taylor Hear That Bernard is with Pershing.

After a silence of nearly six months Mr and Mrs C. F. Taylor, 241 West Main street, have heard from their son, Bernard Taylor, who is now in France with the American expeditionary force. Young Taylor writes that he is well and is in training for going to war.

He says that the men in his company are all anxious to get their baptism of fire and are training strictly for their entrance in the war. Taylor was seasick for the first two days out but since then he has been feeling splendidly.

Cigarets and tobacco seem to be scarce articles in the war zone for he asks for cigarets The letter has rather an indefinite tone owing to the fact that it was censored in the field before it left.

Mr. and Mrs Taylor were very much worried about their son owing to the fact that they did not know where he was. Through the efforts of Congressman McKinley they were finally able to get in touch with the company in which young Taylor was. The letter which they have received is the first that they have had since his enlistment early in the spring They did not know that he was in France until the letter came this week

ASK RUSS DEATH PENALTY BE REVOKED

Petrograd, Sept 1—The Petrograd council of workmen's and soldier, deputies today adopted a resolution of protest against the re-establishment of the death penalty at the front, demanding that the measure be revoked

(Store Closes at Noon Monday, Labor Day)

Premier Displays This Week To Which the Public's Attention is Invited of

Draperies Curtains and Drapery Materials

Specializing the most handsome and attractively designed accomplishments of Foreign and Domestic looms and featuring such a wide diversity of materials and colorings that all requirements will be well met.

Especially of Interest:

Brocades, a yard—$3.50 to $9.00.

Imported Velours, a yard —$3.50 to $10.

Domestic Velours, a yard —$2.50 to $5.00.

Imported Silk Damasks, a yard—$5 to $10.

Domestic Silk Damasks, a yard—$2.50 to $6.

Kapock Silks, sunfast draperies—$1 to $4.50.

Plain and novelty repps, poplins and figured Armures, including "sun-fast" materials, a yard—75c to $2.50.

Your Inspection Is Cordially Invited

Linn & Scruggs DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY

Store Will Be Open Until Noon Monday, Labor Day.

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Hail School Days!

About the most important thing now is getting the children all ready for school, which will begin on Monday, September 10th. Available in these stocks are scores and scores of needfuls

For the School Girl

—Dresses
—Coats
—Suits
—Sweaters
—Millinery
—Stockings
—Footwear
—Gloves
—Handkerchiefs
—Neckwear
—Middies
—Umbrellas
—Tams
—Ribbons
—Muslin-wear
—Blouses

—and hundreds of other little though most important things for the occasion.

—Specialists here in outfitting offer not only the apparel school days require but are willing and glad to advise as to its selection. Fall and winter stocks now at a high ebb offer attractive opportunities for choosing with discretion.

For the College Miss

—Wool Suits
—Dresses
—Wool Coats
—Sweaters
—Lingerie
—Millinery
—Shoes-Boots
—Umbrellas
—Hosiery
—Traveling Sets
—Traveling Bags
—Suit Cases
—Wardrobe Trunks
—Toilet Requisites
—Handbags
—Corsets

—and scores of other accessories of dress and for the traveler, chosen with judgment.

—The timely arrival of fall and winter stocks, selected with a view of meeting the demands of the miss going away, make it a delight to come here to assemble the entire wardrobe. Fall's authentic styles in charming diversity now are all ready for approval.

Prices here are as low or lower than elsewhere, quality for quality. Selections, we believe, are more complete, more versatile, than is usual. Assortments appeal to all tastes.

The Place to meet your friends and enjoy a

Cool Refreshing Drink—

—From Our— Sanitary Fountain

Home-Made Candies

Sam's

114 Merchant St.

A SHEBOYGAN—

Is As Good As An EXTRA BEDROOM

Many women say its better. Why? Because in the first place a Sheboygan Bed Davenport is a beautiful Davenport—secondly, its a comfortable bed.

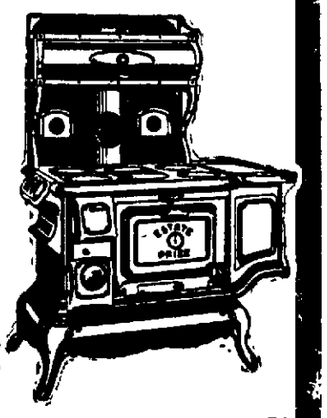
BEAUTIFUL by DAY— SOFT and COMFORTABLE at NIGHT

Sheboygan Bed Davenports, without any doubt, represent the best furniture value procurable. As a Davenport, the Sheboygan is beautiful—a handsome piece of furniture, mid any surroundings. As a bed there is nothing more satisfactory.

Every Home Ought to Have a Sheboygan. Come in today and look over our big line of them. We'd like to have you see what they're like, anyway.

Beautiful Line of Soft Seat Sheboygan Couches. They're Different.

THE "ESTATE" All Cast Range



Makes failure in baking impossible. Heats evenly from all sides—top—and bottom. The convenience and compact capacity of these ranges will be a revelation to anyone who has been using a less modern cooking appliance.

Get one into your home, and you'll take a new delight in the duties of the kitchen—for there's no drudgery in this kind of cooking—baking becomes the best of fun. You'll not be satisfied until you "Own an Estate."

We have many different styles of ESTATE STOVES and RANGES and many different kinds of other stoves. Call and see them, you'll find the stove you want here.

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Do You Know—
Between $175,000,000 and $200,000,000 worth of confectionery was manufactured in the U. S. last year.

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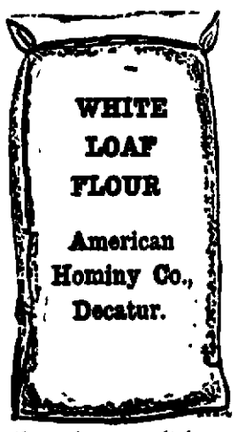
SUNDAY MORNING
DECATUR REVIEW
THE COMMUNITY PAPER

Part Two
September 2, 1917.

Review Want Ads Bring Results

BETTER BREAD
—AND—
MORE OF IT
—WITH—
White Loaf Flour

WHITE LOAF FLOUR has held first place in the affections of Illinois housewives for the past fifty years.

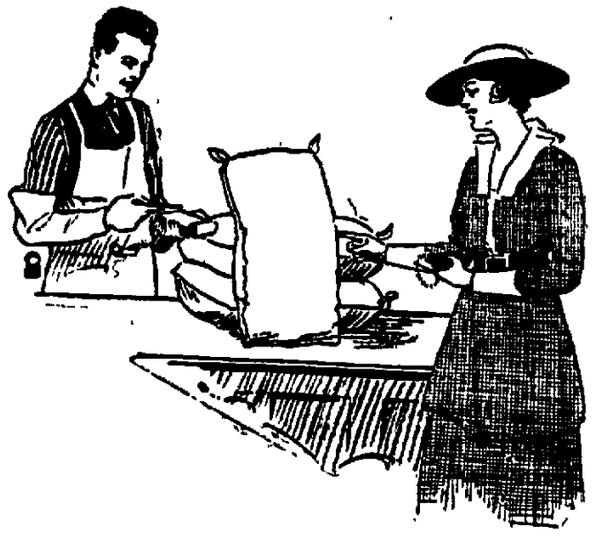


—If you are one of the diminishing few who are not using "White Loaf," it is because you have never tried it.

—For almost invariably one trial means continued use to the exclusion of all other flours.

—This universal preference has been won and **held** on sheer merit and excellence **alone.**

—This superiority becomes evident in **whiter, more digestible,** more **wholesome bread;** pie crusts so **light** and **tender** that they almost melt in your mouth; in delicious cakes and other pastries, **finer** and more **delicate** in texture than you have ever baked before.



Next time you order Flour just say to your Grocer
WHITE LOAF

—It not only means **better** bread and pastries, but **more** of them at **less** cost; you get more out of a sack of "WHITE LOAF" than any other flour milled.

All Good Grocers Sell and Recommend
White Loaf Flour
or Phone "12"

The American Hominy Co.
300 N. Water Street — Decatur, Ill.

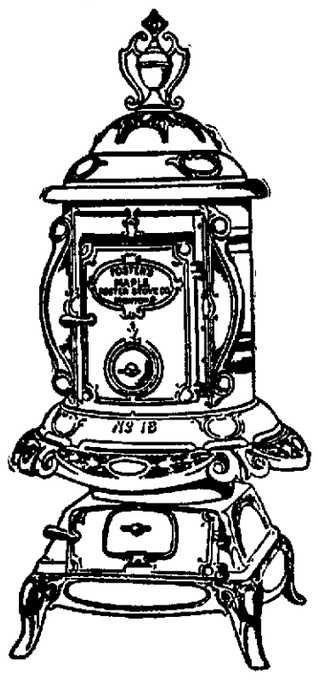
SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS to EARLY STOVE BUYERS

—Stove time isn't far distant. Most any day now the Weather Man is liable to turn on lower temperatures. You're going to need a heating stove when that time comes, and we're going to have an overwhelming stove business.

—If we can sell a number of the stoves now that we know we'll sell later we'll be saved a great deal of trouble; hence this Special Stove Club proposition. Come in and pick out any style and size stove you desire and we will deliver and set it for an initial payment of $2.50.

Club Sale
—terms will be effective only until 25 stoves are sold. A splendid opportunity to secure a heater on exceptional terms. Any heater **$2.50 Cash**

FOSTER'S ALL CAST
Maple Heater



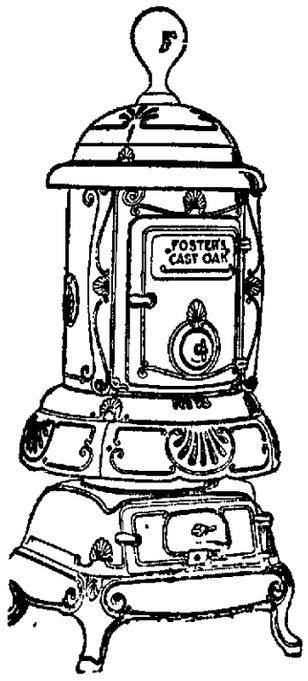
—The "Maple" is a wonder for the money; made of extra heavy, cast stove iron.

—Burns most any fuel you want to put into it, but is especially adapted to Illinois soft coal. Simple, attractive and nickel trimmed.

No. 130, Maple Heater $13.50
No. 150, Maple Heater $16.50
No. 170, Maple Heater $19.50
No. 190, Maple Heater $22.50

Any size, $2.50 cash.

FOSTER'S FAMOUS
"Cast Oak"



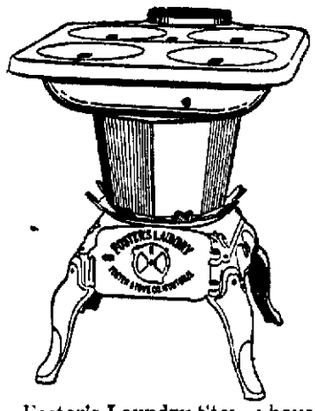
—The "Cast Oak" is America's premiere heater value. Will heat a 6-room house.

—Solid cast iron construction with smooth finish and massive nickel trimmings. All parts are perfectly milled; guaranteed to be "paper-tight."

—14-inch "Cast Oak" $26.50
—16-inch "Cast Oak" $31.00
—18-inch "Cast Oak" $35.50

Any Size, $2.50 Cash.

FOSTER'S ALL CAST
Laundry Stove



—Foster's Laundry Stoves have all the superior features of construction found in Foster's heaters and ranges. All cast iron; all parts perfectly milled. Numbers 80 and 48 have extra heavy castings and reinforced lids and short centers. Note the low prices:

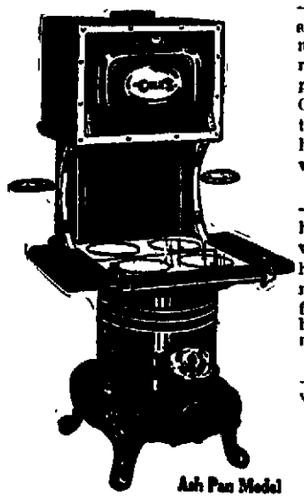
No. 84-S Laundry Stove, $ 4.75
No. 80 Laundry Stove, $ 6.75
No. 48 Laundry Stove, $10.75

Important Feature of Foster Stoves
—In all the sheet metal parts of Foster's Heaters and Ranges, the famous ARMCO INGOT IRON is used; the most expensive iron made; non-rusting.

COLE'S High Oven Combination Range

—The big-capacity range designed for use in small spaces. The ideal range for small cottages and apartments.

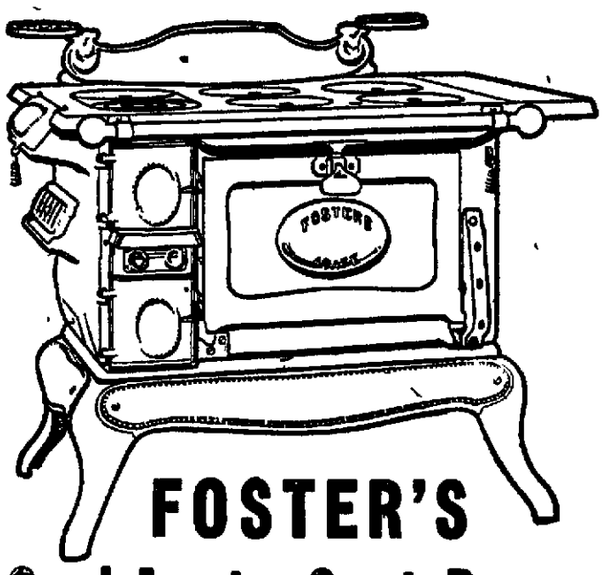
—Note the high oven, conveniently placed. You can do baking in this oven that you can do in any oven. Note the range top with four holes.


Ash Pan Model

—Top is of malleable iron; all sheet metal parts of non-rusting copper alloy iron. Only stove made that burns soft or hard coal, lignite, wood or cobs.

—Guaranteed to hold a fire that will keep your house warm over night and be sufficient to cook breakfast over the next morning.

—A remarkable value at its price **$39.50**



FOSTER'S Opal-Agate Cast Range

New 1917 Styles at Old 1916 Prices

—Present prices, based on last year's costs are quoted for a limited time only, subject to revision without notice, due to increased cost of manufacture.

—The new OPAL AGATE has all the features that made FOSTER'S OPAL the first choice of careful stove buyers last year, plus the additional features of a nickeled towel rail, a front ash pan instead of a hearth, extra heavy back wall and reinforced lids and short centers. All equipped for city water connection if wanted. Temporary prices are:

—8-16 for $35. —8-18 for $38. —8-20 for $41.

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Wagner Collapsible Sulkies.
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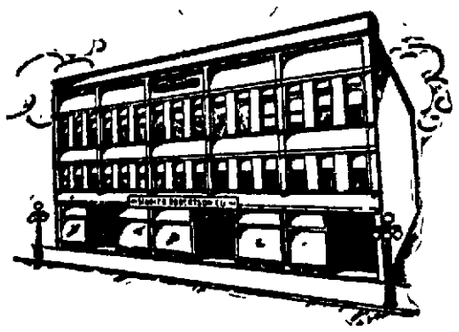
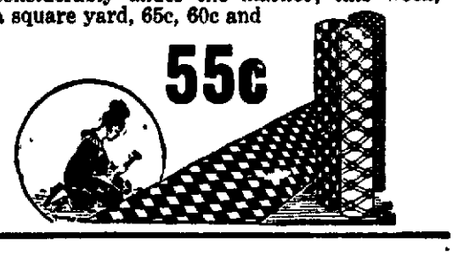
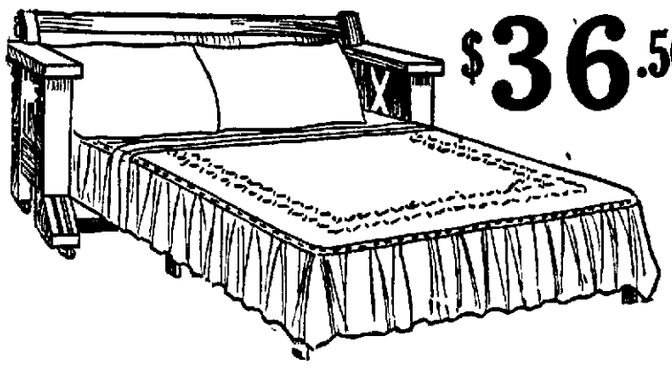


Exceptional Values in Print LINOLEUMS—55c YD.

—A great line of the better grades of 6 ft. print linoleums—in all-over effects, tiles and parquet wood designs; very special values, considerably under the market; this week, a square yard, 65c, 60c and **55c**



One of The New Madden Davenettes



$36.50

—The only davenette made that will accommodate a full 45-lb. mattress; with pillow compartment.

—A single outward motion converts it into the full size, comfortable bed illustrated above. A feature is the sloped back which when used as a davenport enhances its comfortable qualities. The frame is of genuine quarter-sawed oak; upholstered in brown Spanish. It's a matchless value at our price **$36.50**

ANY DAVENPORT $5 DOWN—BALANCE WEEKLY.

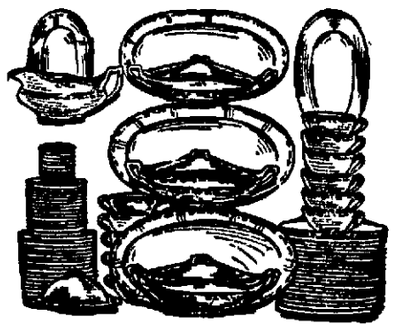
LET US SEND YOU THIS
McDougall Auto-Front Kitchen Cabinet
—ON APPROVAL—

—After you have used it a day you'll wonder how you ever got along without one. It is a skillful, never-tiring servant that demands no pay and relieves you of half your kitchen labor. Let us show you the new styles, and send one to your home on approval.

$1 DOWN and **$1** Per Week

Special Values In Dinnerware

—42-pc. set of domestic dinnerware with an elegant plain gold band decoration; specially priced, a set ... **$4.50**



—50-piece set of dinnerware with an exquisite blue and gold decoration. Complete for **$6.50**

—56-piece set with gold band decoration and full gold handles. Complete **$9.50**

100 Pieces for $15.75.

—56-piece set with rich double gold band decoration. Complete **$8.50**

100 Pieces for $13.50.

Look! Elegant Old Ivory
GONDOLA STYLE BABY CARRIAGE

—No. 215-S Baby Carriage; a reed Gondola with removable cushions and upholstery of French corduroy. Finished in old ivory. Special **$27.50**

Any Style, $5 Down.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

AUTOMOBILES

AUTO TOURISTS TRAVEL CHEAPLY

Decatur People Enjoy Trips at Small Expense.

DAD SPENDS MONEY

He Acted as "Bank" to Whole Party.

Now that the motor tourists are home again at least many of them from their summer trips there are many interesting accounts regarding expenses and the comparative cost of this kind of touring

Of course this kind of touring like any other kind can be made to cost almost any sum on the upward side of the expense sheet On the other hand to travel in reasonable comfort stop at the good hotels and eat as only hungry travelers must eat the bottom level of the account cannot go much below a certain line

PARTY OF NINE

One party of nine Decatur people went on a trip to Michigan The party had two good cars three lively girls of college age two mothers one father and three young men They were a lively bunch They were accustomed to the usual good things in life and they lived well stopped at the best hotels, drove constantly all over the fine roads in Michigan went to movies, bought all the odds and ends of luxuries and little things which are purchasable on such a trip

But every cent was accounted for every evening of the trip The father in the crowd was made treasurer and every member of the group handed him $10 when the cars started from Decatur He paid all the bills If anyone bought a package of gum—and autoists chew gum like soldiers smoke cigarettes—that five cents was refunded to him that night If one of the girls took the crowd to the movies bought a box of candy or a pound of cherries the money spent was refunded to her that evening

PAYS FOR ALL

Every night the pa who was treasurer settled When he ran out of cash he made another assessment and for the fourteen days that hilarious crowd was on the trip through the summer resorts of Michigan it cost them just $3 a day This included gasoline oil and every item of expense except the cost of food which they did not have to buy while away Each member of the party put up $4. for the trip

They claim that this was a cheap vacation To go to Michigan stay at the good hotels drive swim fish boat and loaf and make the trip there and back for $3 a day is cheap for that kind of a vacation

Another party of five people spent 15 days on a trip They went to Detroit stopped good hotels drove about the city and neighboring cities ate at the best restaurants and had as good a time as solid respectable people can have and the cost of the 15 day trip to the crowd was $10 each

EXPENSE ACCOUNTS

These expense accounts are those of people who stop at the hotels who are out for a vacation and who do not want to save at the expense of what they may term comfort

The expense account of the hundreds who camp along the way go at it in true toughing style must be considerably less Hotel bills on autoists are pretty high and in a straight away long distance drive it is probable that the camping tourist saves considerable money over the hotel crowd

But it is generally agreed by those who have toured that taking the cost per capita dividing the total cost by the number of people in the crowd more vacation can be had for the money in motor touring than in any other way

On the other hand a Decatur man told Saturday of a crowd starting for Chicago one morning and of how they almost quarreled on the way as to which show the would go to when they reached the big town They reached their Chicago hotel at 7 o'clock and say boy said the Decatur man "I was tired by 8 o"

SALES REPORTED.

Messrs Max and Fern Boland Decatur Maxwell touring car

J A Wilmuth Assumption Maxwell touring car

I M Carr, Decatur Maxwell touring car

Charles Shoemaker Decatur Maxwell touring car

J M Ellison Arthur Maxwell touring car

I O Ward Mattoon Maxwell touring car

P Montgomery Austin township Maxwell touring car

William Townbaugh Warrensburg Maxwell touring car

Arthur Barton Warrensburg Maxwell touring car

James Isaacs Niota Overland Big 4 touring car

I R Montgomery Mattoon Overland Big 4 touring car

W Cass Rowe Oreland Big 4 roadster

TIRES ADVANCED

Tire prices advanced ten per cent Saturday Sept 1 At least a number of the standard brands sent out announcement and it is generally expected that by Monday or Tuesday the prices on all tires will be up that much The advance in price applies to both casings and tubes The extremely high price of high grade cotton is given as one reason for the increase in casing prices.

SAY BLOOMINGTON ROAD IS READY

State Aid Committee Will Ask Its Acceptance.

ON INSPECTION TRIP

Blue Mound-Macon Highway Unfinished.

The state-aid road committee of the board of supervisors composed of C H Moomey Ross Hockaday D W Moore J W Stroh and Carl Taylor met Saturday and took a trip over the Bloomington road, accompanied by Preston F Hicks county superintendent of roads and bridges

A month ago they made a similar trip and at that time suggested a few improvements that should be made by the contractor Saturday they found that all these improvements had been made and the road in fine condition, so they decided to recommend its acceptance when the board of supervisors meets for its its September session Tuesday, Sept 11.

STILL UNFINISHED

The Macon-Blue Mound state-aid road has not yet been finished It was due for completion Sept 1 but the work has been more or less interfered with and it is not known when it will be finished

The highway commissioners report that roads generally in the township are in good condition They were muddy the middle of the week but have been pretty well ironed out and will be all right today if no more rain falls

WILL RESUME OILING

Last week the commissioners in addition to cutting weeds, hauled cinders and gravel and pitched a number of bad places in the roads did a little grading and set the posts for the guard rails south of the St Louis bridge

The commissioners are expecting a car of oil this week It should have been here last week They will resume oiling the roads as soon as the oil gets here

IT'S SLIPPERY TODAY.

Keep off the Bloomington road today if you have to travel on the road drive slow This advice is given for your benefit and not on account of the road The road has been newly oiled and lots of oil has been put on it The result of this heavy oiling is that the road is slick and to drive at high speed is likely to cause a serious accident Two cars spun around on the road yesterday without being wrecked and their escape from serious consequences was due to the fact that they were not going fast

BACK FROM AUTO TRIP TO CHICAGO

Mrs. H. W. Eyburn and Mother Found Some Bad Roads.

Mrs H W Eyburn and mother Mrs Mary A Acker returned Friday night from their trip to Chicago They drove up last Monday going by way of Strawn Lock Cut found the roads in fair poor condition that they decided to return by another way The return was made down through Indiana and from there over by way of Danville home The roads on the way out were splendid and they had no trouble

Scenes at Opening of Pan-American

PHOTO BY WILLIS STUDIOS

View of the Pan-American Factory building at the time of the opening Thursday afternoon.

In the immediate foreground is seen C A Moise vice president and general manager of the company explaining some of the technical parts about the machine on display there.

PHOTO BY WILLIS STUDIOS

Stock and Car Salesmen of the Pan-American Motors Corporation.

Picture taken at the factory Thursday, the day of the big opening at the new plant in the Chamber of Commerce Addition

Top row (left to right)—S J Hopkins C H Roades M H Wright, L H Moss F J Boring J K Nicholas J F Childs

Second row—Mr Theobald Mr Connelly Matt Trott D S Anderson W H Woolems F W Maurer A C Weaver J D Lynch

Bottom row—A P Cunningham A H Wyatt, H C Pfaff H J Hopper, Charles Butler

STRIKING AUTO FOR DECATUR MAN

Probably the most striking car which will appear in Decatur this fall will be the new special Forty Hudson roadster which has been ordered for H L Harris who lives at the Hotel Orlando

The car is of the low type the back stripes off from the back of the seats the top comes off entirely and can be stowed in a special compartment just back of the seat The top irons fold up out of sight The car is simple in lines but striking in its general appearance

The finish of the car will not make it less conspicuous It will be painted an old ivory with gold stripes

The car will be delivered in about a week

RETURN FROM AUTOMOBILE TRIP

Mr and Mrs. S. O. Hilbrant and Family Have Enjoyable Time.

Mr and Mrs S O Hilbrant and family 8 1 West North street have returned from a two months visit in Chicago Michigan and Indiana They went in their car and making Chicago their headquarters they took a number of motor trips They visited in Gary Cedar Lake Valparaiso and Rensselear Ind South Haven Benton Harbor and Paw Paw Mich After they started back to Decatur they visited in Pekin and Starved Rock At Bloomington the roads which had been in fine condition were heavy and it was necessary to leave the car

PEERLESS GREEN DRAGON ARRIVES

A Peerless Green Dragon, a duplicate of the car in which Barney Oldfield made his first great race, has been shipped to the Decatur agency of the Peerless cars The speedster will have no top and no windshield will be painted a dragon green and is said to have a speed of 125 miles an hour

FINISH SPANGLER BRIDGE GRADE

Road is Open to Traffic Still Some Surfacing to Be Done.

Pile & Alexander have finished the Spangler bridge grade and the road is now completely open to the public There is still some surfacing to be done by Long Creek township on the east end of the new work and some by Decatur township before the road is in first rate condition But the road is now straight across the Sangamon bottoms, is perfectly level and is thirty feet wide

DR. R. D. DILLEHUNT GETS ASSIGNMENT

Former Decatur Man Sent to Fort Russell, Wyoming.

A telegram was yesterday received by his father from Dr R D Dillehunt stating that he has been assigned to military duty at Fort Russell Wyoming He appears to have just reached that post

Harry Watkins formerly stenographer for the Morehouse & Wells company who enlisted in the army in Decatur is also stationed at Fort Russell

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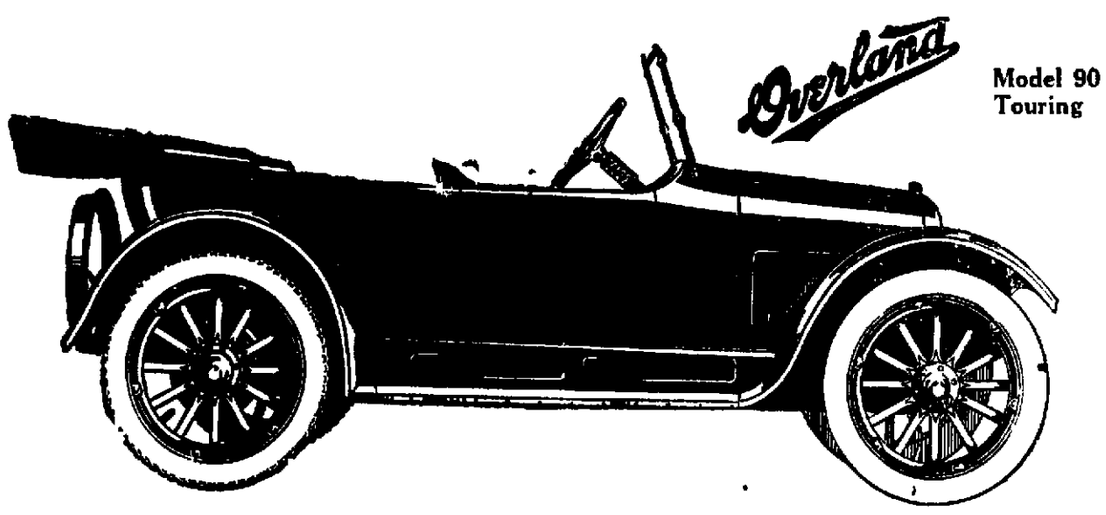

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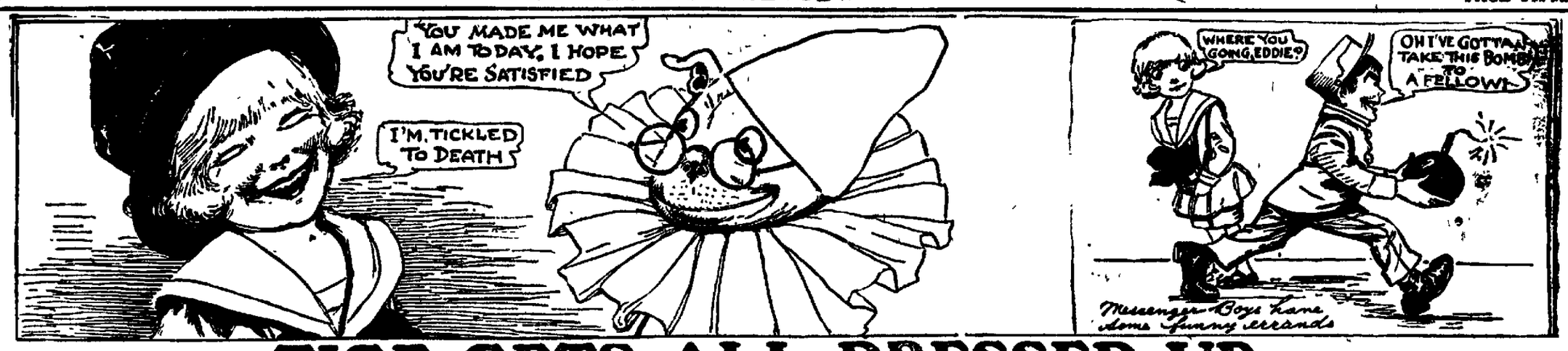

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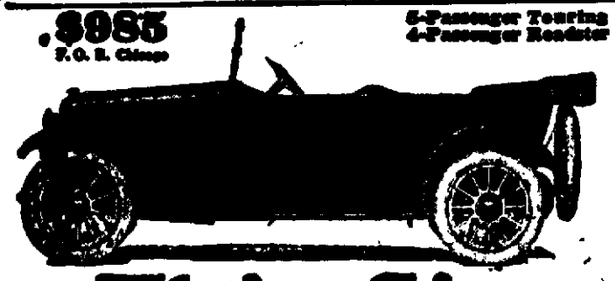

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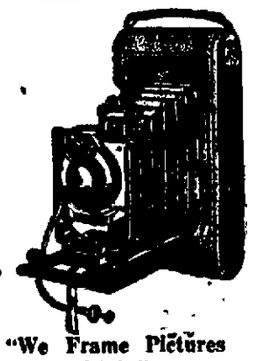

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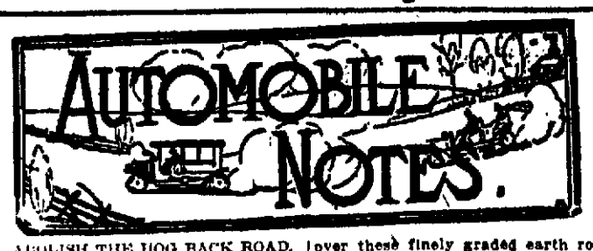

ABOLISH THE HOG BACK ROAD.

The high-crowned earth road is a plague and the road with a sharp peaked center is an abomination, many highway commissioners are finding this out for themselves but somebody will have to tell the state highway department, which is still building high crowned earth roads. The Bement-Monticello road is the finest example of the high crowned road in central Illinois. It is beautifully maintained and is handsome to look upon, but unless one can straddle the crown with his car it is a torment. Give this road the travel of the Bloomington road between Decatur and Maroa, in which one will meet a score of vehicles, and the people of Piatt county would turn out with plows to reduce that hump.

The Tuscola township roads are perhaps the best example of the right kind of road making. With an almost flat cross section and yet curved enough for drainage and with side ditches that carry off the water, these roads are delightful to drive over. The Tuscola township roads are good when any earth roads in Illinois are good, and they are built of black "push-mud" in a country that is almost flat.

The state highway department is still building high crowned earth roads. The Bloomington road is of that kind, so is the new Springfield road, so are the new DeWitt county roads. They are expensive to maintain and unpleasant to travel.

DANGEROUS CROSSING.

The Bull Dog crossing of the Wabash near Salem cemetery is one of the most dangerous crossings about Decatur. The crossing is on the gravel road about five miles southwest of Decatur. In dry weather most people use the old state road which keeps to the west of the Wabash after passing the Last Chance crossing and joins the gravel road at the Salem cemetery. This road is shorter and better and avoids two railroad crossings.

The crossing itself is not bad, but the view of the tracks is hidden by corn fields, so that one can not see a train approaching, yet this is one of the busiest stretches of railroad in the county. The crossing one of these days will make a newspaper item which the persons most concerned will not read.

This crossing became known as the Bull Dog crossing because at a house near the crossing there was for years a large dog. Tenants of the house came and went, but the dog stayed on. It was part of the premises. The house was torn away a year or two ago.

There are two crossings on this graveled road route. The first one, about three miles out of Decatur, is also bad, not because the view is obstructed, but because of the steep incline approaching the tracks from either side.

OUR STATE ROAD.

S. F. Bradt, state superintendent of highways, says that the type of state aid road being built in Macon county is the best that could have been adopted, in view of the fact that the state road bond proposition to be submitted to the people next fall will in all probability carry. Two main roads across Macon county have been designated as state bond roads and it will be vastly better for the county to hand these over to the state as well graded roads than as narrow gauge brick or concrete roads. The state will have nothing to undo and the county will get better results. Where state bond roads have already been improved as state aid roads the state repays the county for the money already spent in paving if the road can be incorporated in the state aid system, but if the pavement happens to be only ten feet wide, it is likely to remain ten feet wide. The two main highways across Macon county should be more than ten-foot roads and no doubt they will be when the state takes over these finely graded earth roads for improvement.

NEXT YEAR'S LICENSE.

Have you considered your automobile license fee for next year? It is going to cost you more in 1918, still more in 1919 and more yet in 1920. All kinds of automobiles will be taxed more in license fees and the Ford owners are handed the worst of it. That is, the Ford owner's automobile license will cost him 50 per cent. more in 1920 than it does now, while the owner of a 25 to 35-horse power car will pay 33 1-3 more and the 50-horse power car will pay 25 per cent. more.

The following table shows the new license rates for the next three years:

	1918	1919	1920
10 H. P. and less	$ 4.50	$ 4.50	$ 6.00
25 H. P. and more than 10.	6.00	6.00	8.00
35 H. P. and more than 25.	9.00	9.00	12.00
50 H. P. and more than 35...	16.00	16.00	20.00
More than 50 H. P.	20.00	20.00	25.00
Motor bicycle ..	3.00	3.00	4.00
Electric vehicles to and inc. 2T	10.00	10.00	12.00
Electric vehicles over 2T	20.00	20.00	25.00

$200 FINE FOR TAKING A CAR

New Penalty for Unauthorized Joy Riders.

Those young fellows who think it is something of a lark to take some one's car and go out for a joy ride half the night, would do well to look carefully over the new law which went into effect July 1 regarding automobiles and jaug such performances. It is a serious matter and involves a possible year in jail and a fine of $200.

The law is very broad and declares that it is unlawful for any person intentionally and without authority from the owner, to start the motor of any motor vehicle or to shift or change the starting device or gears of a standing motor vehicle, or to release the brake on any standing machine. And the law provides a penalty of imprisonment of not to exceed a year and a fine not to exceed $200.

Don'n Blame the Machines.

Champaign Gazette—Perhaps one reason for motor speeding is that automobiles feel their gasoline just as a horse does its oats.

Neutrality for Him.

London Punch—Prisoner (on being asked "What say you, 'Guilty' or 'Not Guilty?'")—"Me Laid, I leave it to the learned counsels to fight it out between 'em. I'll be neutral."

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A Decatur business man points out a need for oiling two and a half miles of road south of Elwin that will connect up several sections of good road with Decatur and make traveling into this city from the south much more easy this fall than it will be otherwise. Easier travel means more travel and more business for Decatur, as well as that much more comfort and use of their cars for the people living in that section of the state.

The strip that is not oiled is from the end of gravel half a mile west of Elwin straight south two and a half miles. Beyond that the road is oiled two miles into Macon.

Macon, as is well known, has been doing a fine job of dragging and oiling roads all summer. The best roads in the county are in Macon township and south, connecting with Moweaqua. East of Macon there is a long stretch of good oiled road. The state aid road west from Macon into Blue Mound will be finished this fall and will be available for use.

Altogether a total of twenty-five miles of good oiled road can be connected with Decatur by putting in that two and a half miles south from Elwin.

EASTERLY CAMP TO HONOR MEN

T. C. Buxton has Called All Members of Camp to March.

Chairman T. C. Buxton of the committee from Easterly Camp, No. 1626, M. W. A. which is arranging for the camp's part in the draft celebration next Wednesday night, has called for all members of the camp to march and wants them to be at the hall by 6:45 in order to join the parade at 7 o'clock. Following the public celebration, seven members of Easterly Camp, who are in the new draft army, will be entertained at a banquet at the Hotel Orlando along with the officers and committeemen of the camp.

Moving Machinery and Stock.

The work of removing the machinery and stock of the Decatur Fountain Company to the old factory of the Home Manufacturing Company on East Eldorado street and the Illinois Central, is progressing, and the fountain company will be ready to turn the building out at the Chamber of Commerce addition ever to its new owners, the Pan American Motors Company, by Sept. 15.

Cheaper Cars Now Cost as Much as the Hudson

Price advances of cars which sold at $1200 to $1400 increase the preference for the Hudson Super-Six. It's price, too, must soon advance.

Former cheaper cars now cost about as much as a Hudson Super-Six. That is because of the head-long increase in material costs. Some materials are almost double the costs of last year. The Hudson Super-Sixes now built are from materials contracted last year. Since then other companies, having exhausted their supplies, have had to buy in the present market. That accounts for their prices increases. When Hudson materials are exhausted, then the Hudson price, too, must go up.

The Super-Six was the choice against other cars when its price was $200 to $300 above them. That was shown by its sales. Almost 40,000 cars were sold, which is more than the total sales of any two of the cars which now have advanced up to about Hudson price.

Now that there is no difference in price, all will prefer the Hudson Super-Six. It will be compared with no other car. No other car has shown its records for performance and endurance. No other car has proved so popular. Today you can buy a phaeton, seven-passenger model, for $1650. Other models compared to similar types of other cars are equally as favorably priced. But to take advantage of these present prices you must act promptly.

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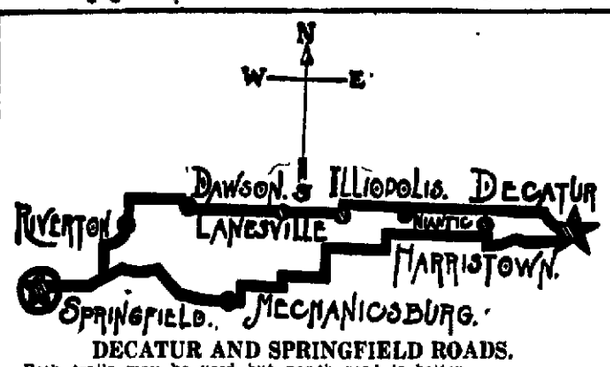

DECATUR AND SPRINGFIELD ROADS.
Both trails may be used but north road is better.

For State Fair Trip

The state fair trip to Springfield and back this year involves some detours which have not been made hitherto in fair time

OUT OF DECATUR.

The way out of Decatur since the work is being done on the West Main street road at Stevens Creek and Snake Hill is by the northwest route The exit can be made either by way of the road past Fairview park and on out past Fairlawn cemetery until the little school house is reached and the Kickapoo trail is picked up or by following the red and white marks out Packard street. This trail can be followed a mile or so to Frank Elliott's corner. Here the tourist jogs right and left and continues on west, while the trail marks go off to the north The road from this point may be followed through Niantic and Illiopolis and then on through Lanesville, Dawson and Riverton, this being the Wauhonsie Trail with black and white markings The markings are picked up just north of Harristown and the road is oiled a considerable part of the way

ON SOUTH ROAD

If the tourist should care to follow the Ocean to Ocean route red and white markings, he can turn south just north of Wykles from the north road and drive to the West Main street road where he will find a finely oiled and surfaced road to Harristown The oil extends some distance further west south of the Wabash, but the reports are that the people along this route have not kept it up as well as it should be kept, but it has one characteristic which appeals to many There is not a railroad crossing on the route until the tourist is within the city limits of Springfield The north road, on the other hand, winds back and forth, crossing the Wabash and the Illinois Traction system tracks a number of times

ROADS IN GENERAL

Roads are now in fairly good condition a little rough but rapidly wearing down and if there is no excessive rains should be in fine shape by the time the fair begins

LIGHTS ACTED IN CRAZY WAY

Automobile Driver Found That It Was Due to Way Road Was Worked.

"What's that fellow doing with his lights?" asked an automobilist of his companion on their way home from Springfield Sunday night The lights were jumping up and down in the craziest fashion imaginable The two men in the east bound car slowed down and advanced cautiously They expected to find an open coal shaft in the road or at least a bridge out

They had not gone far before they discovered what was the matter with the other fellows' lights Not only were the lights jumping up and down but the car was behaving likewise Their own car began a similar performance The road was a series of hummocks made by the road workers and it was almost impossible to drive over them The road would have been impassable if it had been the least bit muddy

This place was on the stretch of the north road between Niantic and Illiopolis and these men were quite sure that it was nearer Illiopolis that put it in Sangamon county But whether it was in the east edge of Sangamon or the west edge of Macon their advice to automobilists was to keep off the north road between these two towns The north road as a whole they said was the better but avoid that part of it

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Four Roads Laid Out—Plan of Construction—Appropriation.

HAS Decatur been asleep at the switch while the federal aid roads approximately 800 miles, have been laid out in Illinois and not one of those roads touches, impinges upon or even points toward Decatur.

TWO BIG ROADS

Decatur is at the intersection of two great trans-state highways, one of them a transcontinental highway, both of which have been ignored in the location of the federal aid roads

The Meridian Highway is the great north and south road in Illinois running directly through the heart of the state The Pikes Peak Ocean to Ocean highway is a transcontinental highway from New York to San Francisco crossing the middle of Illinois One or the other of these should have been selected as one of the federal post roads in Illinois

STATE APPROPRIATION

The legislature at its last session appropriated $1,326,000 to meet a like sum which is the apportionment of Illinois for the building of the federal aid roads in the state It is stated by the state superintendent of highways that the counties through which the federal aid roads pass will be required to contribute a sum equal to that appropriated by the state and federal government, or one third of the whole cost of road construction This will make a total of nearly four million dollars If any county through which a proposed federal aid road crosses refused to contribute its proportion of the money this will block the construction of that road

IN LONG SECTIONS

It is not specified in the law how these roads are to be constructed That is to be agreed upon by the state and federal authorities It is stipulated that these roads shall have a minimum paved width of fifteen feet It is also required that the federal aid roads shall be continuous and shall not be built in short and scattered sections, as the state aid roads are being constructed It is also proposed to lay these down upon the routes designated for the state bond roads

The total amount available from the federal apportionment the state appropriation and the sum to be contributed by the counties will build not to exceed one quarter of the federal aid road already designated in Illinois It is understood however, that the policy of federal aid to the state in the construction of roads will be continued and the legislature has pledged the state to meet the federal appropriations for the next five years

THREE LAID OUT

Three roads crossing the state and one paralelling the eastern boundary of the state have been designated as federal aid roads As will be seen from the map one of these roads, the longest, is from Chicago to East St Louis by way of Joliet Ottawa Peoria, Mason City, Springfield, Staunton and Edwardsville

Another of these roads follows the Lincoln highway from Chicago to Fulton through Wheaton, Geneva, DeKalb, Rochelle, Dixon, Sterling and Morrison

The third of these cross state federal roads is from St Louis to Terre Haute following the old National highway through Greenup, Effingham, Vandalia, Greenville and Highland The federal government has already spent millions on this road which is beautifully improved as far west as Vandalia The appropriation which was to have completed this road across Illinois was vetoed by President Jackson

The fourth federal road the one not crossing the state, extends from Chicago to Danville through Momence and Watseka following what is known as the Dixie highway

Danville News—According to the Federal trade commission of the Pacific coast parkers are trying to corner the tomato crop How in the world do they expect anyone's creditors to get hup

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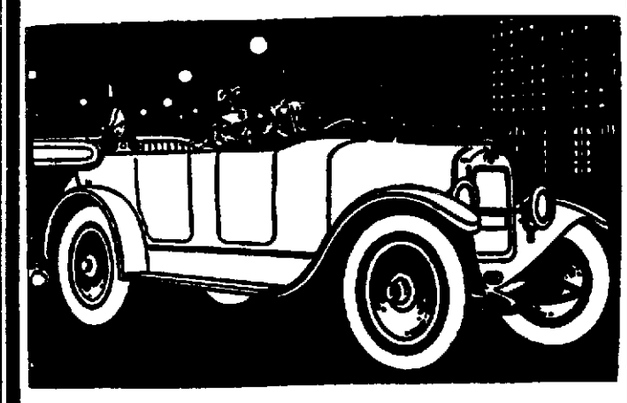

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Good Looking Young Men In Aviation Service

THE University of Illinois is now and has been during the summer aviation given over to the school of aeronautics where flying is taught as a science and an art. Every where about the north end of the campus are met squads, platoons and individuals in khaki wearing the white and cerise hat cords of the signal service. They are clean limbed and athletic looking young fellows and if you should happen to address one of them he answers you as a gentleman and a scholar. They are the pick of the country. They come at the rate of about fifty a week and go at the same rate. Their course of instruction covers eight weeks and when they leave this school of aeronautics they go to some one of the aviation camps to get their real practice in flying.

On Illinois field the men are being put through the regulation army drill. It is difficult for a civilian to understand why the army flyer should be able to execute all of the field movements of the infantry service, but it is taught to men in every branch of the service.

BUILDINGS CLOSED

The university Y. M. C. A. building is a barracks filled with aviation students in uniform. The old armory at the north end of the campus is devoted entirely to aviation work. There are complete aeroplanes, aeroplanes partly assembled, the bare skeletons, aeroplane engines of various types and at one end is a class room. You can't get into this building for love or money. It is the holy of holies of the school of aeronautics. The new armory away to the southwest, the biggest building in the world under an unsupported roof, is also used exclusively by the classes in aeronautics and may not be profaned by the foot of any civilian.

The building of the engineering group are several of them used by the students in flying — the wood shop, the metal shops, etc., but they are not so exclusive as the two armories. In these shop buildings the students study gasoline engines and other practical matters allied to aeroplanes.

FLEMLEYBYWHILE

Most of the student flyers are strangers to the university, although they are practically all of them college men. They come from everywhere. Why are college men picked for this work? Mainly because they have the mathematics and physics necessary to a quick understanding of the theory of flying and of the operation of engines and machine gun. These students are drawing pay at the rate of $100 a month with an additional 60 cents a day for board. As soon as a man has passed his physical examination and been accepted as an aviation student his pay begins. They are furnished their uniform by the government with the exception of their leather puttees.

$4,000 A YEAR.

When a student finishes his training and is accepted for aviation service he takes the rank of first lieutenant and draws pay at the rate of $4,000 a year. Unlike other branches of the service the lieutenant in the aviation service is not given a command. The rank merely carries with it the pay which is regarded as adequate to this hazardous and exciting service. But it is a nice clean branch of the service which keeps one free of the trench mud and other discomforts of the infantry and it is easy to see why so many spirited young men aspire to this branch of the service.

GOES QUICKLY

After the student has learned all that is necessary about aeroplanes, aeroplane construction and repair, engines and machine guns, air currents, and the resolution of forces he is passed on to Kantoul or some other aviation school. The actual training in flying, it is said, is picked up quickly. As soon as the student has it in him to learn, he learns to glide an aeroplane as a kite, as he does an automobile and after a few flights is at home in the air. Of course mastering the nine lines in the wing spin, the tail spin and in the loop are fine points of the art that require more time. After two or three weeks at the aviation camp the student goes on to France where he gets the same training in the real thing.

WHAT YOU SEE

If you should go to the university you would be limited to the heart of things but you will see plenty from the outside to make the trip worth while. The one is free of charge. You will not have an opportunity to take the flight yourself in the school but from a little distance you can see flyers at work.

Ten Years Ago Today In Decatur

SEPT. 2, 1907.

There was a big local celebration of Labor day. Attorney Jim Henson was the principal speaker at a big celebration in Clinton.

It was the opening day of school and 4,088 enrolled, an increase of 114 over the previous year. The Catholic schools also opened with an enrollment of about 400.

The Decatur Railway and Light company expected to start immediately on the erection of a new gas plant.

At the quarterly conference of the First M. E. Church it was voted to ask for the return of Rev. W. T. Davidson to this city.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

Jerome R. Gorin was found dead in his bed. He had been a resident of Decatur sixty-four years.

The annual picnic of the Baptist Sunday school was held in Paris, Ill.

Fred W. Kipp sold his grocery store on East Eldorado street to G. W. Hamer.

The Lincoln miners were still in camp near Decatur, this being apparently all that was left of the attempted coal miners strike here.

Miss L. Jeanette Tullis returned to Chester, Ill., after a visit with her mother.

R. S. Jack sold to George Ira Shaw of Niantic a quarter section of the West section in Harrisburg township at $70 an acre. This was part of the Hale estate.

The Wabash Gun club held its last shoot of the season. Live pigeons were used. Needham and M. Masters each killed ten out of twelve birds.

Miss Lulu Fozad composed a song which was to be sung by George Dunston. It was entitled, Thou Art Like Into a Flower.

REV. JOHN LYONS WRITES OF FAMINE

Conditions in China Told Second Presbyterian W. C.

Two interesting talks were made at the meeting of the Second Presbyterian Missionary society Friday afternoon. The society met at the home of Mrs. I. C. Fisher. Mrs. A. A. Tyler talked of the work in the Indian school in Tulsa, Okla., and her talk was especially interesting for she taught in that school for two years.

This talk was followed by one on the conditions in China by Mrs. J. C. Lyons. Mrs. Lyons' son, Rev. John R. Lyons, is in the Presbyterian mission in Peking and lately he has been writing home a great deal about the famine in China. In one letter he said that few, if any, people in America realized the conditions there and sometimes they felt as if they were almost forgotten.

After the program Mrs. Fisher served refreshments.

Quits $1,500 Job to Enter Army

ROBERT SMITH

Cassius H. Smith of the Macon county experiment farm received the following letter Saturday morning from Fred Smith superintendent of the Argenta township high school who is now training the summer school at Normal and who is one of the men chosen to go to France at the first call.

Mr. Cassius Smith, Dear Sir: I presented in writing to the board this evening that I was planning to be home for Sept. 1 and if satisfactory to me I should be very glad indeed to go at that time. I shall report on Sept. 4 without further notice. Yours very truly, FRED P. SMITH.

Smith gave up a $1,500 a year job to enter the army.

HAD ALREADY TAKEN ACTION

Reply to A Visitor Who Complained of Sewer Gas.

A resident of the southwest end of town has a visitor from out of town. Friday morning the visitor came down and remarked that there seemed to be sewer gas in the hall upstairs and suggested that something should be done about it that the plumbing should be looked after. The host remarked that something had been done about it. That Decatur had just voted to establish a sanitary district and take care of that sewer gas. The visitor had gotten her first whiff of the Sangamon on the morning breeze.

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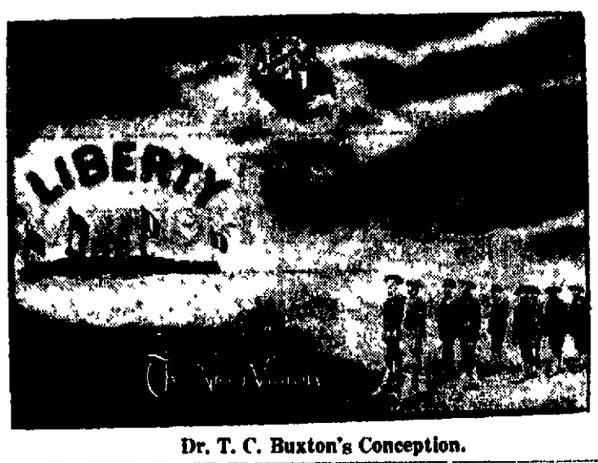

Dr. T. C. Buxton's Conception.

1,600 BOOKS FOR THE U. S. SOLDIERS

Decatur's Response to Call Has Been Liberal.

VISITOR ASTONISHED

Springfield Librarian Sees War Books Displayed.

And still the books and magazines to be sent to the libraries of the soldiers come to the Decatur public library. Over 1,600 volumes of good reading in book form and between 1,000 and 1,100 magazines are already on the special shelves reserved for these books in the basement.

Good books of fiction, sports, drama, some on philosophy and technical subjects, an occasional French book, every possible taste, among the thousands of men who will be at each camp, are to meet with something from this collection.

OVER 1,000

It is expected that the Decatur collection will exceed the 1,000 volume mark before the books are sent away.

According to a telegram the library is made the center for the assembling of books in this district, there being twelve of such centers established.

WAS ASTONISHED

A member of the Springfield public library was visiting the Decatur library Friday and was astonished at the number of books which had been gathered there for the war committee of the American Library association. Decatur has more than twice the number given at Springfield.

The books are carefully classified and when the time for packing they will be all ready for shipment. Instructions will be received by the Decatur library officials as to when and where the shipment shall be made of the books gathered here.

This Day In Illinois History

September 2, 1849—The Beardstown Gazette says that old corn is bringing 30 cents, wheat, 60 and 75 cents — That the river is now in a fine stage for the season, there being four feet and a half of water on the bars, and plenty of boats running.

NATIONAL COUNCIL of DEFENSE

What I saw in Chicago last week at the headquarters of the N. C. D. would have interested every Decatur woman. A large assembly of women of all ages and both colors, learning. What? Learning what the National Council of Defense means, learning its simple methods of work, learning its simple yet multiplied ways of service, and learning above all that we can only grow in usefulness when we are willing to learn.

Classes are being formed all over the country which are to be open to all women regardless of race, creed or politics. These classes are to teach women that which they feel the need of learning. In other words the women of America are being divided into two kinds, the trained and untrained. The trained are going to teach the untrained in may places and thus all will have an equal opportunity to expand and show Uncle Sam what we can do for our country's need during the war.

EMMELINE S. BEATTY

WOMEN DOCTORS SUBJECT TO SERVICE

Four in Decatur Under Jurisdiction.

Four women doctors of Decatur are subject to the direction of the war service committee of the Medical Women's National association. These four are Dr. Clara Garber, Dr. Ellen F. Grimes, Dr. Lillie Collier and Dr. Harriet Day Chandler. It is not likely that any of the four will be called to France though there is a possibility that one might be.

The work of the Medical Women's hospitals as organized by the war service committee of the Medical Women's National association will have fourteen divisions and will be officially part of the medical and surgical service of the American Red Cross. Among the departments are maternity units to devastated parts of allies' countries, village practice in allies' countries, women's hospital units to the U. S. A. army in Europe, women's hospital units to allies' armies, care of soldiers' dependents, hospital service for prisoners of war, medical service to interned alien enemies, sanitary inspection work, laboratory work and substitute work in American hospitals or private practice.

NEED MEN IN ALL DEPARTMENTS

Sergeant Sedden Gets New Bulletin.

Their's Country's Call

ARMY.

Charles T. Collins Jr., 2.. East King, to quartermaster's corps.
Thomas H. White 340 East Orchard to quartermaster's corps.

Sergeant Sedden of the regular army recruiting office received the following bulletin Saturday:

Don't fail to boost the Drafted National Guard. The Regular Army wants men for the Infantry, Field Artillery, Medical Department, Cooks and Bakers for the Quartermaster Corps.

The Federalized State Regiments want men for the Infantry, Field Artillery, Bandsmen and Musicians, Horseshoers, Hospital Corps men.

These Regiments are made up entirely of Illinois men and should be filled before the regiments leave the State for encampment maneuvers at Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

The National Army wants men for the Quartermaster Supply Companies.

BRITISH AND CANADIAN ARMILS

(The British Recruiting Mission now has recruiting parties in Central Illinois working in connection with the Regular Army Recruiting parties.

All men should be between the ages of 18 and 40 years and excepting Cooks and Bakers should be unmarried. The Army needs all the volunteers it can get in addition to the drafted troops. Men who have registered and have been notified to appear before registration boards can not be accepted.

RENUNCIATION

By STRICKLAND GILLILAN

(Good Housekeeping.)

I was yesteryear I shortened him and
smiled to see him creep
I was yesteryear with spool and string
he used to sit and play
I was yesteryear I put him in these
very arms to sleep —
A six foot man in soldier clothes went
marching off today.

Scarce yesternorn I helped him take his
first unsteady step
I was yesternoon his earliest word I joyed
to hear him say
Since yesterson I kissed his bumps to
comfort him—hark. Hep
Attention. Forward! march! Guide right!
rings in my ears today.

I was yesterday my soul was sweet with
mothers content
But yesterday "I thank thee Lord" was
all my life could pray
And yesterday I did not know what fear
and heartache meant
Did something in me perish as I watched
him go today.

Yet yesteryear I should have sensed the
man child at my knee
And yesterday I should have known not
every month is May
Outranking mine his country's need of
godlike such as he—
My heart with shame were bursting had
he slacked his bit today!

2,000 ATTEND I. O. O. F. PICNIC

Outing Given at Longenbach Grove by Yantisville I. O. O. F.

About 2,000 people attended a picnic given in the Longenbach grove Friday by the Yantisville Odd Fellows. The principal address was made by Owen Scott of this city. Other speakers were County Judge A. J. Steidler, Audrey Yantis of Shelbyville, and Captain Laur.

Danville News—In a market report it was noted one day recently that cheese was "strong and active." The report might just as well have gone on and explained that the egg business was rotten, but it did not.

MAKING SURGICAL DRESSINGS

—PHOTO BY REMBRANDT

Mrs. L. M. Lindsay's class in gauze surgical dressings working in the room devoted entirely to this work in the Orlando Hotel Building.

There were more applicants for admission to the class than could be accommodated.

The work is studied as in school and lectures on the work precede the actual making of the many kinds of gauze dressings needed by the hospital corps in the work in the field.

MEMBERS OF CLASS

Mrs. Ava M. Bond
Miss Gertrude E. Dillehunt
Mrs. Nellie A. Woodward
Mrs. D. T. Sullivan
Mrs. G. A. Rice
Miss Emma F. Miller
Mrs. Marion Oldham
Mrs. [illegible] K. Whitley
Mrs. [illegible] Aldrich
Mrs. [illegible] Wood
Mrs. E. B. Tyler
Mrs. G. D. Steele
Miss Doris Roach
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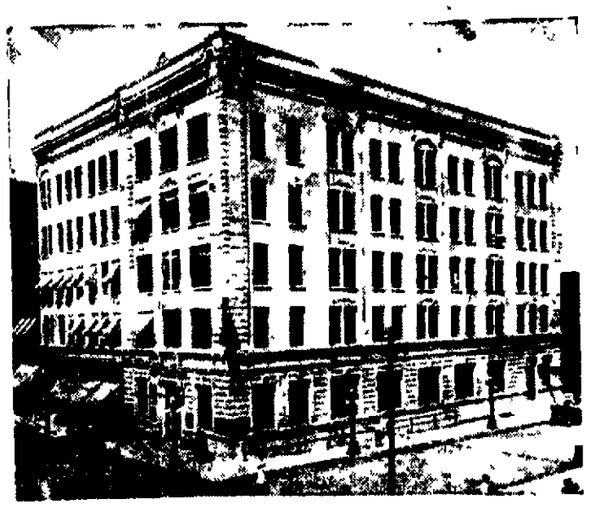

SPECIAL NOTICE

To the Home Boys Who Have Joined the New National Army

Consistent with the desire of the Officers and Directors of this bank to co-operate with and assist you, your families and friends, we wish to announce that, should you have any financial or business transactions that we could handle for you during your absence, we would cordially invite you to call at the bank now and explain the details to anyone of our officers who, we assure you, will be only too glad to look after your interests entirely **free of of charge.**

Should you have any valuables, such as notes, bonds, mortgages, deeds, insurance policies or jewelry which you desire to protect against loss or destruction, we will be glad to give you space, during your absence, in our fire and burglar proof vault.

We also wish to advise that you can make arrangements with **THIS BANK** and the army paymaster to have any part of your monthly pay check allotted directly to this bank for your credit. In this way that amount will be automatically remitted to this bank by the Government. The funds can be deposited as you suggest: either as a personal savings account at 3% compound interest, a checking account where the funds will be subject to your checks at all times or a joint savings or checking account for the use of yourself as well as some member of your family, or in any other way you may elect.

We very cordially invite all of our home boys to make free use of our modern facilities.

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PATRIOTIC SUNDAY IN THE CHURCHES

Patriotic services are to be the order in a number of churches of Decatur today

At the Congregational church this evening will take place the patriotic service in honor of all the drafted men and others interested A splendid program has been arranged for this service

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday morning there will be a patriotic service at the First Presbyterian church, and the pastor will speak on "Ambassadors

At the Second Presbyterian church Sunday morning there will also be a patriotic service with the pastor giving an address on Our Church Our Country and the War' Patriotism will be teh keynote for the vesper service in the evening, also

Special recognition of the soldier boys and their families will be made at the morning service at the First Methodist church

SPECIAL MUSIC

The special music arranged for the patriotic service to be held at Second Presbyterian church Sunday morning will include The Battle Hymn of the Republic (Kinder) sung by a baritone solo by Mr Ellis Hudson This is a new arrangement of the music which is being used quite largely in the east this summer The quartet will sing Kipling's Recessional [illegible]

E. PARK BAPTIST OFFICERS ELECTED

At Annual Business Meeting Held Thursday Evening.

New officers for the church were elected at the annual business meeting of the East Park Baptist church Wednesday evening The meeting was well attended and much interest is manifested The officers took their places Sept 1 They are as follows

Deacons — S Sigle W H Davis Charles Hebel

Trustees — William Clark Lynn Beasley S N Newell W C Hasselbell

Moderator — Rev F L Tay

Clerk Arthur Waddell

Treasurer C W Kelly

Library secretary W A Walker

Pianist—Hildred Smith

Assistant Miss John Richardson

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Superintendent—Charles Hebel

Assistant—Lynn Shicke

Secretary—Arthur Waddell

Assistant Lelah Lozier

Treasurer — Lucinde Walker

Assistant Alvin Lawe

Teachers Blanche Allcutt

Superintendent Primary department Mrs Ed Allcutt

Superintendent Cradle Roll — Mrs. Frank Smith

Pianist—Hildred Smith

Assistant—Lelah Cozad.

There will be a number of special features at the services in the church Sunday The new officers will be formally installed at the Sunday school. In the morning preaching service the pastor will preach on "The Lord's Guest" and at the close of the service the church will celebrate the Lord's supper At the evening service Miss Wood will sing "The Holy City" and the pastor will preach on the same topic Both song and address will be illustrated with stereopticon slides

SUNDAY SERVICES

First Methodist—Church and North, F A Havighurst pastor Closing Sunday of Conference year Sunday school 9 30 a m Preaching services 10 45 a m and 7 30 p m In the morning the last communion service of the year will be held and there will be a special recognition of the soldier boys and families closely related Evening subject "The Christian Worker and His Reward" Epworth League 6 30 p m All the services are intended to be especially fitting to the close of the year's work

Congregational—Church and Eldorado Frank Dyer pastor Sunday school 9 30 a m Preaching services 10 45 a m. and 7 30 p m Patriotic service in the evening Christian Endeavor 6 30 p m.

Church of God North Main and Park streets L S Richmond pastor Sunday school 9 a m Preaching services 10 a m and 7 15 p m Christian Endeavor 6 15 p m

Nazarene Church—1527 North Clinton Edna Wells Hoke pastor Rev Edna Wells Hoke will preach at the North Side church Sunday morning and communion will be celebrated She will preach at the West Side church at night Rev T H Hoke will preach at the North Side Sunday night Rev Smith will have charge of the Central park meeting at 6 p m Other services as usual

Second Presbyterian—Eldorado and Monroe H M Donald pastor The pastor will preach at the morning service Subject Our Church Our Country and the War Patriotic services in the evening In families of those who have gone or are going to training camps are specially invited Mrs D C Beatty will sing at the evening service in the evening at 7 15 on Our Part in the National Service

St Johannes' German Lutheran 1100 East Olive street William Heyne pastor Sunday school 9 a m service with installation of new teachers 10 a m Monthly meeting of voting members 2 p m

Grace Methodist—Main and King N M Sigg pastor Sunday school 9 30 a m Morning service 10 45 a m subject Man's Right to the Altar of God Epworth League 6 45 p m Has Summer Brought Leanness to Your Soul? Leaders Misses Dietrich and Younger Evening service at 7 45 subject The Smile of Emmanuel or a Soul Tragedy

Central Church of Christ William and Walnut John K Golden pastor Sunday school 9 30 a m Morning service 10 45 Evening service at 7 30

First Presbyterian—Church and Fraser J Tennes pastor Sunday school 9 30 Morning worship at 10 45 special service for the men of the new national army and their friends The pastor will preach on Ambassadors Curtis Busher will sing Evening service at 7 45 Subject Some Aspects of the Present Day Situation Encouraging especially for laboring men and they and their employers are invited L L Vaughan will sing

English Lutheran Main and William Roy Catlin pastor Sunday school at 9 30 a m Morning worship 10 45 Lutheran League 6 30 p m Evening services will be resumed Sept 9

Salvation Army—Park and State Commandant and Mrs Williamson in charge Meetings at 11 a m 4 p m and 8 p m Sunday school at 1 30 Y P L at 3 p m Open air meeting in Central park at 4 p m and at the transfer house at 7 p m

St Peter's A M E—A T Jackson pastor Morning service 10 Junior League at 3 45 a m Sunday school 3 p m Allen League 6 p m Evening service 7 45 p m

Spiritual Science Society 131 North Mercer Meeting at 7 30 p m The evening service will be followed by spirit messages

German Methodist North and Jackson Sternberg pastor Sunday school 9 a m Morning service 10 a m subject Set a Latch but a New Suit Evening service 7 p. Rev Martin Neumeyer of Gordonville Mo will preach

First Baptist—Water and North J H Marsh pastor Sunday school 9 a m Morning services 10 a m and 7 p m Morning theme The Lack and the Day Evening subject The Voices of the Woods a sermon based on your experiences H V P U 6 p m

St John's Episcopal Church West Eldorado and Church Dod Beatty rector Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity Holy communion 7 30 a m Sunday school 9 a m Adult Bible study class 9 a m Holy communion 10 45 a m Harvest festival Evening prayer and sermon 7 p m

Free Methodist Wm McKinley N VanNattan pastor Preaching at Hillsboro at 10 a m Preaching at Kirkwood at 3 p m Other services as usual

MISS SHILLING ON HER WAY TO JAVA

Will Bring Home Her Dying Sister.

Miss Jennie Shilling formerly a teacher in the Decatur public schools is now on her way to the island of Java to bring home her twin sister Miss Mattie Shilling, if she is still alive when she reaches that place Miss Shilling expected to sail on Aug 18 from San Francisco for Java Her sister is critically ill and it may be that by this time she has passed away

Miss Mattie Shilling went abroad three years ago as a missionary and was very successful as a teacher in the Malay Islands Recently her health failed and she went to the island of Java in the hope that a rest would be beneficial A letter received in June by relatives brought the news that an exploratory incision had been made and a cancerous growth revealed, and it further stated that she could not recover.

Miss Jennie Shilling taught in the Decatur schools for several years the last couple of years at the Roosevelt She left here a year ago

Decatur Man and Windsor Girl

MRS. T. D. WILSON.
Formerly Miss Violet Kirkwood of Windsor.

TYROL D. WILSON.
With U S ambulance corps at Allentown, Pa He will soon leave for France

TYROL D. WILSON MARRIES IN EAST

Bride is Miss Violet Kirkwood of Windsor; Wedded While on Trip.

Miss Violet Kirkwood of Windsor and Tyrol D Wilson of Decatur, were married in Buffalo N Y Aug 1 Mr Wilson is in Allentown Pa with the American Ambulance corps and in July a party of Decatur people, including Mrs Wilson went to visit him

While she was in the east they decided to be married and went to Buffalo where the ceremony was quietly performed Mr Wilson expects to be sent to France soon Mrs Wilson returned to Decatur this week Before her marriage she was employed in the law office of Lark and Boggess

DECATUR WIRELESS EXPERT IN NAVY

KENNETH CALDWELL.

Decatur's first and best known wireless expert is now located at Connaut O in the wireless service of the United States His wireless outfit in Decatur was one of the first of the Decatur plants and he talked with all the stations for hundreds of miles around before the war closed all amateur station

GLENN Y. WARNER NEW INSTRUCTOR

Succeeds H. G. Seldomridge at the J. M. U.

FROM WINONA LAKE

He Will Have Charge of Public Speaking.

Glenn Y Warner of the Federated Colleges of Winona Lake, Ind, has been appointed instructor in public speaking in the James Millikin university, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Prof. Howard G Seldomridge who took a position with the educational department of the Victor Talking Machine Co, in Chicago

OHIO GRADUATE

Mr Warner is a graduate of Ohio Wesleyan and spent two years in graduate work in Northwestern university, studying English, debating and oratory receiving at the conclusion of the time a degree Bachelor of Oratory

WIDE EXPERIENCE

Mr Warner has had a wide teaching experience, ranging from five years as high school teacher of Latin and German to instructor in public speaking at Winona Lake Mr Warner comes to the James Millikin university with highest recommendations and it is thought that he will fill the requirements of his new position splendidly

ATTEND CONVENTION OF $200,000 CLUB

C. H. Leas and Family and Ross Venters and Wife to East.

Charles H Leas wife and family leave Sunday morning for Chicago where they will board a special train on the New York Central railroad for New London Conn, to attend the annual convention of the $200 000 club of the New York Life Insurance company to be held at that place Sept 5-8

Ross Venters and wife of Decatur will also be in the party. After their stay at New London New York, Philadelphia, Boston and other eastern points will be visited The Leas family will be gone about two weeks Mr Leas has been making trips to the $200 000 club convention since 1902 and has traveled all over the country

To Free Methodist Conference.

Rev J N VanNattan pastor of the Free Methodist church in this city will go to Hillsboro Wednesday to attend the annual Central Illinois conference of the Free Methodist church R P Abel will also go as delegate and Mrs Cloud 803 West Grand avenue is planning to attend

PROGRAM ISSUED FOR STATE FAIR

Week of Automobile and Horse Races.

Springfield, Sept 2 — Despite the burning of the Dome building at the state fair grounds the exposition which begins Friday of this week, Sept. 7, and continues through the following Saturday, Sept 15, promises to be above the average in point of exhibits and attendance, according to B. M. Davison secretary of the state fair board

Brick walls of the Dome building have been razed and a fence built about the twisted remains of the steel frame work which supported the great dome. Exhibits which always have been placed in the Dome building will be housed elsewhere either in other buildings or in tents

WEEK OF RACES

A week of automobile, motorcycle and horse races is scheduled for lovers of the sport, and the speedway, it is said, has been put in excellent condition.

Beginning Tuesday of fair week, there will be night horse shows for three nights Admittance to the grounds at night will be free Firework displays will be the order every night after Monday

The program by day is as follows:

Friday, Sept 7—Amateur auto races

Saturday, Sept 8—Amateur motor cycle races

Sunday, Sept 9—Concert by opera troupe in afternoon

Monday, Sept 10—Children's day.

Tuesday, Sept 11—Chicago day.

Wednesday, Sept 12—Old Soldiers' day

Thursday, Sept. 13 — Governor's day.

Friday, Sept. 14—Springfield day.

Saturday, Sept 15 — Professional auto races

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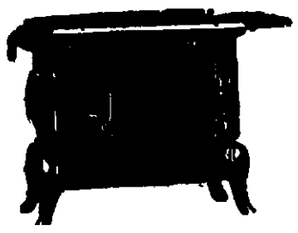

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For Sale Cheap—80 acre Harrison County, Iowa farm. Price $125. Good house, barn, etc. Five miles from town. Half valley land. All in cultivation. Terms $2,000 or more down, balance to suit. George McCoul, owner, Logan, Ia.

For Sale—80 acres first class land, 5 miles from Decatur. Will be sold worth the money. J. F. Smith, Macon, Ill.

For Sale—Nice 80 acre farm all in cultivation; 6 room house; good barn, rich soil, grows 65 bu. corn or 25 bu. wheat per acre. Price $1,800. Long time on $2,000. Frank Moore, Wayne City, Ill.

Farms—A few choice farms for sale in northwest Mo. Worth seeing. Booher & Williams, Savannah, Mo.

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40 Acre farm, $500, $25 down and $5 per month; also some good ranch lands; a well improved dairy farm at a bargain. J. A. Wheeler, Mountain Grove, Mo.

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387¼ Acres black level corn land, well improved. Price $150 per acre, $5,000 cash, easy terms. E. R. Smith, owner, Fairfield, Ia.

For Sale—Well improved good black soil farms in Christian and Shelby counties, at $150 to $185 per acre. H. B. Miner, Pana, Ill.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

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The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the estate of George H. Moore, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the Court House in Decatur, at the October term, on the First Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.
All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 18th day of August, 1917.
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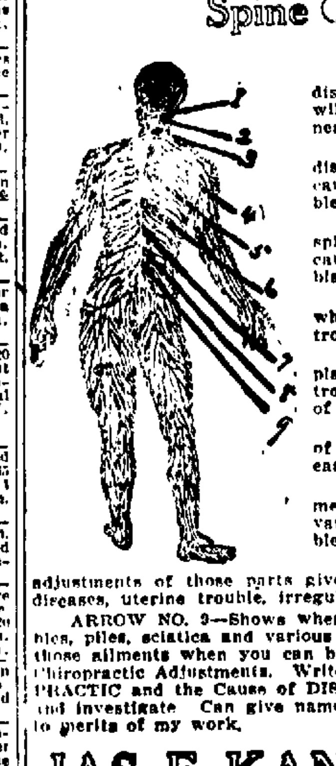

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GOOD PRICES FOR FARM LANDS

Harristown Farm Sells for $250 an Acre.

The total of real estate transfers and mortgages recorded the past week follows:

BY YEARS.

Transfers last week	6	10,175
Same time last year	9	18,700
Mortgages last week	18	20,379
Same time last year	13	14,275
Farm transfers last week	..	.....
Same time last year	..	.....
City transfers last week	4	3,675
Same time last year	9	18,700
Village transfers last week	2	6,500
Same time last year	..	.....

BY PERIODS.

Transfers 35 weeks	591	1,719,390
Same time last year	580	1,719,380
Mortgages 35 weeks	570	1,874,448
Same time last year	533	1,835,543
City transfers 35 weeks	443	817,582
Same time last year	439	818,114
Farm transfers 35 weeks	101	858,145
Same time last year	99	857,495
Village transfers 35 weeks	47	73,806
Same time last year	42	63,771

MONEY MARKET.

Average int. rate last week	5.93
Average int. rate previous week	6.33
Average int. rate last year	6.00

Of the money loaned $1000 was at 5%, $19,625 was at 6% and $2,750 at 7%; $18,925 was loaned on city property, $5,000 was loaned on farm property and $4,400 was loaned on village property.

C. D. Hamilton of Banning, Calif., sold his farm west of Elwin last week to Frank Batchelder, of near Harristown, who gets it for $250 an acre, a total of $43,000. This is a farm of 172 acres and is located on the south side of the gravel road, just about a quarter of a mile west of Elwin. It has some good improvements on it, is all tiled and is all under cultivation. It was a cash deal and was negotiated by T. P. McShane.

DEAL AT MACON.

H. R. Woodcock, who last week purchased the Cunningham farm of 92½ acres just southwest of Macon on the oiled road, sold it this week to Delmar Byard, who gets it for a home at $200 an acre, a total of $18,500. There is a fair set of improvements on it, it is fairly well tiled, and is all in cultivation. The deal was made by J. E. Smith of Macon and it is the fifth time he has sold this place in twelve years.

LEAFLAND TRADE.

E. F. Drobisch traded to Jerry McNeal of Velma, Ill., the six room, modern house on a lot 40 by 90 at 807 West Leafland Avenue. Mr. McNeal getting it for a home at a trade value of $3500. He put in as part pay at $2500, a one story frame building with a five room house adjoining and a stock of groceries valued at $1,000 in Velma, Drobisch taking this as an investment.

Joseph Schoenle sold to E. C. Tade, the five room, new and modern bungalow on a lot 40 by 175 at 2268 North Edward street. Mr. Tade gets this place for a home and will move in at once. The price named on the place was $2,850 cash.

F. A. Barnes sold to Reuben Rambo, a four room, not modern house on a full lot in the 1700 block East Wood, Rambo buying this for a home at $1,500.

T. A. Brinkoetter sold a full sized lot on the north side of the 900 block East Prairie street to J. W. Loftus, the price not being stated. The latter will erect a home there right away.

Joseph Schoenle sold to Frank Tarr, a full sized vacant lot at the corner of Eleventh and East Marietta street, the purchaser buying for investment at $300.

WOMAN BIDDER.

Josie Buckingham Raises Her Bid and Gets Land.

There were two sales of real estate at the court house Saturday afternoon. J. H. Latham sold for the administrator four lots belonging to the estate of Sena Logue. All are in the 2500 block East Main street, and are 40 by 140 feet. The first lot sold to Harry Fisk for $107.50. Cassius Holcomb of Oakley got two, one at $130 and the other at $117.50, and the fourth went to Harry Fisk at $102.50.

A. G. Webber sold the Frederick Buckingham farm of 100 acres near Oakley and a three-acre tract of timber land three miles distant. The 180 acres was sold in separate tracts. P. T. Van Dongen got the home place of forty acres at $217.50 an acre. The forty acres just south and the next twenty acres went to Josie Buckingham at $250 an acre. The total proceeds of the sale amounted to $23,700.

When Josie Buckingham raised her own bid twice people wondered. She wanted the south sixty acres. She had bid in forty acres of it at $250 an acre. She bid $192.50 an acre on the remaining twenty. Nobody raised her and then she raised her own bid to $195. No one came back, and then she bid $250. But she knew what she was doing. She had received a tip that when the entire 100 acres would be put up as a whole a man was ready to bid it in. It was therefore up to her to keep the price on that last 20 acres so high that he would not be tempted to buy the whole farm, so she raised her own bid twice. Her idea worked out all right, although she paid a good price for the land, for when it was offered as a whole no one would bid higher than the $23,700 which the separate tracts brought.

FEED PRICE AND FLOUR.

Intimate Connection Between Bread and Cattle Feed.

"Whether or not there is profit in flour at $11 a barrel, based on wheat at $2.20 a bushel, depends on the price paid for the by product," said a man familiar with the flour business Saturday.

"Just for easy figuring it is usually said that five bushels of wheat will make a barrel of flour. As a matter of fact 300 pounds of wheat will make more than 196 pounds of flour. The actual wheat used in making even American flour, which is recognized as the whitest in the world, is about four and a half bushels. The American miller of what we call high grade flour takes a little over 70 per cent of the wheat for flour, the rest goes into feed of one kind or an other. On this basis 4½ bushels of actual wheat will make a barrel of high grade flour.

"If the American people were willing to eat flour which took 77½ per cent of the wheat a barrel of flour could be made from less than four bushels of wheat. The proportion of the wheat used in Europe even in normal times is from 75 to 85 per cent, and it is possible that the government food control board may ask that the millers of this country use a higher per cent of the wheat, thus increasing the yield of flour to the bushel of wheat and automatically reducing the cost of flour based on the fixed price for wheat.

"The millers sell the by-product for feed and the price of feed affects the price of flour. In that way high prices for feed are supposed to reduce the price of flour, and low prices of feed will make higher flour prices."

SCHOOL DAYS WILL SOON BE HERE

FINE RECORD IN NEW BUILDINGS

Report for August Shows Month $20,000 Ahead of Same Month in 1916—Will Probably Reach Million Mark for Year.

Building permits issued last week 11
Building permits preceding week 10
Total to date, 1917 303
Same period, 1916 304
Value represented last week $16,700
Value preceding week 8,375
Total to date, 1917 ..... $769,675

A summary of Building Inspector A. H. Cope's report for August shows that month to have been over $20,000 ahead of the corresponding month of 1916 in the amount of money invested in building improvements in Decatur. The total estimated value of building improvements for which permits were issued in August, this year, was $97,150, as compared with $77,010 for the same month in 1916.

To reach the million mark there must be invested within the next four months $330,325. Decatur did invest more than that in new buildings during the last four months of 1916, and will doubtless do it again this year. If not it will be the first time in many years that the record of over $1,000,000 for buildings in a year has fallen down.

35 PERMITS ISSUED.

Mr. Cope's summary shows that during the month of August thirty-five building permits were issued: Six for new residences, eight for remodeling residences, five for remodeling business houses, one for a produce house, two factory additions, one storage building and twelve garages.

In August, 1916, thirty-nine permits were issued, but the amount invested did not run as high.

Eleven permits were issued last week, just one more than the preceding week, and the amount of money invested was more than double that of the preceding week.

The building permits issued last week were as follows:

LIST OF PERMITS.

To Decatur Coffin company to remodel factory building at an expense of $1,000.

To. J. L. Burtschi for a new house at the southeast corner of Edward street and Harrison avenue, to cost $2,200. J. W. Massey has the contract.

To E. E. Fair for a garage at 220 Stuart avenue, to cost $200. B. F. Mills has the contract.

To Eugene Schneider for a new house at 440 East King street, to cost $2,000. Frank Sommer is the contractor.

To Fred Ryewski to remodel the house at 1129 East Leafland avenue at an expense of $450. J. T. Easley has the contract.

To Mrs. Josephine Comerford for a new house in the 800 block East Prairie avenue, to cost $3,000. Riney Bros. are the contractors.

To Miss Emma Otta for a garage at 1119 West Forest avenue, to cost $250. C. O. Deakins has the contract.

To Robert Carr, to remodel a black smith shop in the 600 block South Oakland avenue, to cost $300. C. O. Deakins is the contractor.

To George Ehrhart for two new houses, six rooms and bath, each in the 700 block West Decatur street, to cost $3,500 each. C. O. Deakins has the contract.

To the board of education for a garage at 578 South Maffit street, to cost $300.

BUILDING MATERIALS.

Contractor Mentions A Decline in the Cost of Some Things.

"There has been a notable easing up in the building materials," said a local contractor. Prices have not declined much yet but they are decidedly weaker and some articles have shown a positive lowering of prices. Deliveries are also much better and the lower prices being offered for old paper and junk is another indication that the tide of excessive prices on many lines of material has turned."

Traveling representatives of building supply houses frankly say that changes in prices are likely to come and they are just as frank to say that they hope they will. Business in their lines has suffered from the war to an extreme degree and they say they will welcome a return to a normal level of prices. They want to have a better basis on which to figure spring business as the building for this year is about over.

DEEDS RECORDED

Aaron B. Carlberg to Odessa Tankersley, lots 8 and 9, block 2, Powers fourth addition; $1.

R. C. Augustine to Z. T. Harris, lot 4, block 3, C. E. Schroth's addition; $1.

Decatur Coal Company to Louis W. Sensenny, et. al., lot 2, block 4, Delia Abbott's addition to Niantic; also other real estate coal rights an other coal mining property in Niantic; $1.

L. N. Cool to Catherine Sargent, lot 4, L. N. Cool's addition; $250.

SPEND EUROPEAN MONEY TOO FREELY

Americans Cannot Realize Value of Coins.

Rome—"The steady employment of Americans in Europe is a problem difficult of solution simply because they seem unable to appreciate the value of European money," said Sherman A. Boyce, of Portland Oregon, at present detailed as traveling inspector for the European branches of a large American express and banking concern.

"Before the war," he continued, "such firms employed almost exclusively Englishmen, though now they are trying again to get Americans to come over. The trouble is that an American cannot live abroad for the same salary that he gets at home, nor even with an increase of a third more. At home he appreciates the value of ten cents, or a dollar, but when he gets abroad a shilling, a franc, or even five francs has no value to him. At home he is perfecting satisfied to live in a boarding house for six or eight dollars a week, if he is single, but when he gets to Paris or Milan, he thinks he's got to pay ten francs a day, the living, working equivalent of two dollars, or fourteen dollars a week.

"Firms can only afford to pay seventy or eighty dollars a month to beginners in the European branches, which is much more than would be paid an Englishman or a native of the country for the same work, but the young Americans who come over hardly get here before they begin to complain about their salary, that they are not making enough to live on.

"The worst of it is, they are telling the truth. I find myself that I spend money very freely because I can't somehow realize that a franc or a lire has any real value. This is a delusion that has stranded many an American abroad.

"Many Americans are coming over here now partly for military, partly for business reasons, and Europe is simply going to be flooded with Americans after the war. Many of these will be here for business, and those who stick and succeed will be those who learn to think in francs instead of dollars. The deception is one of big figures. We know that one hundred dollars is a small amount, that it will go only so far, but when we get it exchanged for five hundred francs or so, we think it's enough to last forever. But it's just the same old hundred dollars after all.

"The field for American goods over here is unlimited, fortunes are being made now and more will be made after the war, but they will go to the fellows who steer clear of this curious deception."

BRITISH QUEEN SELLS MEAT TO POOR

London—Queen Mary, Princess Mary and Princess Christian had a busy time a few days ago serving out meat pies, soup, ham and other eatables behind the counter of a communal kitchen in one of the poorest districts of London.

They kept up a running conversation with the poorly dressed children who came along in numbers to get the cheap food which is provided in these kitchens at cost.

"What do you want my little fellow," asked the Queen, of one small boy who planked down his plate on the counter.

"Two pennorth of 'am lady," was the reply.

Queen Mary handed out the ham and stuck the ticket on a spike in quite a business fashion.

The average price of the ten articles on the menu was two pence and the royal servers disposed of a large quantity before handing the distribution over to others.

R. HORTON MARSHAL AT PANA LABOR DAY

Pana, Sept. 1.—The streets of Pana and most of the business houses are elaborately decorated for the Labor day celebration and everything is in readiness for a fine program and a big parade. Roy Horton, formerly of Decatur, is to be the grand marshall.—The reception committee is composed of George Courtney, Earl Gillman, Thomas Finnefrock and W. P. Jordan.

The men on the parade committee are Charles Johnson, Frank Davis, John Atrell, I. M. Cothern and Lou Travis.

The program will open at 9:30 o'clock with a concert by the Pana band. Public speaking will be at the city hall park. The opening address is to be given by Mayor H. N. Schuyler. The speakers of the day are to be James A. Henson of Decatur and Charles A. Kirch, of East St. Louis. The Evans' carnival company will open here Monday for a week's engagement.

ADVISES AGAINST QUITTING GERMAN

Superintendent Allen of Arcola, Asks about Teaching.

Superintendent Allen of the Arcola schools with one of the members of his school board called upon Superintendent Engleman yesterday to consult him with regard to taking German out of the Arcola school. There is a strong demand that the teaching of German be discontinued. Mr. Engleman advised against it. "I certainly disapprove of the thing which is now coming out of Germany as strongly as any body but the time is coming when we shall be doing businesac with Germany again and for the sake of the science and literature of Germany, we should continue to make the German language one of the languages taught in our higher schools. I hope that very soon if not this year, we shall be able to put French and Spanish into our high school."

Where Joan of Arc Prayed for France

Vaucouleurs—Recently visited by Vernon Beatty. Here Joan of Arc made supplication for the salvation of France in her war against the invaders, at that time the English.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

I will sell at Public Auction, all fixtures and machinery consisting of the equipment of the Banquet Ice Cream Company, at 156 Thatcher Place, on Saturday, September 8th, 1917, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

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Second row—Arthur Harris, Roy Richardson, Samuel Pence, Carl Hight, Frank Williams, Lisle Downing, Clifford Ollinger, Russell Hall, Lee Cline, Pearl Humphrey, ——Gregory, Samuel Hall.

Third row—Roy V. Zeigler, Leon A. Monson, George E. Weatherby, Metlin Craig, J. R. Skoog, Charles Ruth, H. R. Woodcock, L. J. Wiley, Glen Perkins, A. F. Eckhardt, Ely Moreland, Clarence O. Tohill, H. J. Weller.

Standing—Adolph Schlick, Homer Andrews, R. L. Rees, A. W. Shade, H. J. Wehner.

ASSIGNMENT OF TEACHERS

Superintendent J. O. Engleman Finishes Big Task.

Superintendent J. O. Engleman Saturday completed the assignment of teachers for the coming school year. It is one of the tasks which requires time and thought and Mr. Engleman has been at it for two weeks.

The organization and assignment of officers and teachers are as follows:

GENERAL.

J. O. Engleman, superintendent of schools.

Fern E. Boland, secretary to superintendent.

Freda A. Burk, office assistant.

Arthur Kinkade, secretary business manager.

Hobart Crouch, secretary to business manager.

Grace L. Stuart, accountant.

SUPERVISORS.

Mary Baker, penmanship.

Helen A. Bishop domestic science.

Emeline Fiez, hygiene.

Nelle C. Fuller, physical education.

SPECIAL TEACHERS.

Harry Deutsch, manual training.

Thurza Lux, general supply.

Charity Moulton, general supply.

Emily Parker, domestic art.

PUBLIC SCHOOL LUNCH ROOM.

Nelle Hartsock, director.

DENNIS.

Mrs. Eunice V. Christy, principal; 1-B, 1-A, 2-B.

Jessie Christy, 2-B, 3-B, 3-A.

Evelyn Cole, 4-B, 4-A, 5-B.

Kezia Munson, 5-B, 6-A, 7-B.

H. B. DURFEE.

Mrs. Della Webster, 1-B.

Harriet Conard, 1-B, 1-A.

Mildred Krigbaum, 2-B, 2-A.

Mabel Sill, 2-B, 2-A.

Carrie Jordan, 3-B.

Jessie L. Hynd, 3-A, 4-B.

Frances Fagan, 4-B, 4-A.

Mae Kennedy, 4-A, 5-B.

Ruth Hostetler, 5-A, 6-B.

Mayme Reisbaugh, 6-A, 7-B.

Unassigned, 7-A.

Charlotte Lafferty, 8-B.

Mrs. Maud C. Meyer, drawing.

H. F. Carmichael, principal.

MARY W. FRENCH.

May Williamson, 1-B, 1-A.

Mrs. Mattie Webb, 2-B, 2-A, 3-B.

Daisy Lux, 3-B, 3-A.

Adelia Bishop, 4-B, 4-A.

Juna Moore, 5-B, 5-A.

Mabel Wilson, 6-B, 6-A.

Unassigned, 7-B, 7-A, principal.

E. A. GASTMAN.

Grace Barnett, 1-B, 1-A.

Anna Belle Usler, 2-B, 2-A.

Martha Cressler, 3-B, 3-B.

May Belle Wilson, 4-B, 4-A, 5-B.

Jennie Ramp, 5-B, 5-A, 6-B.

Ernestine White, 6-B, 6-A.

Sarah Fitzpatrick, 7-B.

Ruth Britton, 7-B, 7-A.

Mary C. Sterritt, 7-A, principal.

HIGH.

Thomas M. Dean, principal; L. T. Anderegg, G. H. Barker, L. Louise Bear, Olive M. Bear, Helen A. Bishop, W. M. Campbell, Mary Carroll, W. C. Casey, J. A. Cochrane, Sarah Dale, Edna E. Davis, C. V. Denman, Everett L. Dickey, Lucy J. Durfee, Mary L. English, Mabel Fletcher, Veri Freyburger, H. Leah Fullenwider, Ona Griffin, Bernice B. Harrison, Nora N. Hawkes, Mrs. Minnie P. Hostetter, T. R. Isaacs, Evelyn L. Kletzing, Nellie Lamb, E. H. Langdon, A. W. Marker, Lida C. Martin, D. W. Milliren, H. C. Mohler, Alberta Montgomery, Helen C. Murphy, Mrs. Lucy H. Nelson, Mary Parker, H. B. Polson, Minnie H. Reeter, Celestine L. Rice, Verom Rockwell, Flora Rose, Eurn C. Sanders, Minnie Saure, Jessie Spencer, Ana Sprunger, Harold F. Taggart, Eliza Thomas, H. D. Trimble, Winnifred A. Wilson, Hertha Witte, Frances Hofter, secretary to principal, Frances six office assistant.

JACKSON.

D. Bess Bowles, 1-B, 1-A.

Winifred Morehouse, 1-A, 2-B.

Sophia Drobisch, 2-A, 3-B.

Isabel Dawson, 3-A, 4-B.

Sylva Wood, 4-A, 5-B.

Minnie Smith, 5-A, 6-B.

Margaret Marriott, 6-A, 7-B.

Dwight M. Ramsey, 7-B, 7-A, principal.

JASPER.

Alice J. Mead, 1-B, 1-A, principal.

Sue Merker, 1-A, 2-B.

Helen E. Leigh, 2-B, 2-A.

Dorothy Oakes, 3-B, 3-A.

Elsa E. Schilling, 4-B, 4-A.

Edith M. Creel, 5-B.

Elvera Sandgren, 5-A, 6-B.

Esther Sternberg, 7-B.

JUNIOR HIGH.

C. A. Finnewohr, principal; Eleanor A. Bickley, Ruth Cook, Estella Craig, R. F. Davidson, Jeanette Ford, Valerie Foster, Eleanor Holetman, Jewel May, Anna Mead, Edith Montkomery, Harriet Moore, Ruth M. Nicholson, Nora Pfirr, Eva Riddle, Lois H. Roberts, Katherine E. Salmon, Edith Schutt, Ruth Ana Wamsley, Albert F. Wiegman, Rachel Hill secretary to principal.

LINCOLN.

Dena Noonan, 1-B, 1-A.

Pearl Easterbrook, 2-B, 2-A.

Hazel Force, 2-B, 2-A.

Mrs. Bertha Doyle, 4-B, 4-A.

Mrs. Gertrude Holfer, 5-B, 5-A.

Ella Bever, 6-B, 6-A.

Unassigned, 5-A, 7-B.

Bertha Norman, 7-B, 7-A, principal.

OAKLAND.

Flora B. Smith, 1-B.

Mary Boyd, 1-A, 2-B.

Mrs. Sarah M. Olson, 2-A, 3-B.

Marie Goodman, 3-A, 4-B.

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Madden, 4-A, 5-B.

Pearl Rose, 5-A, 6-B.

Nelle Clark, 6-A, 7-B, principal.

OGLESBY.

Ada Hopkins, 1-B, 1-A, 2-B.

Mary Earnest, 2-A, 3-B, 3-A.

Loretta Hayes, 4-B, 5-B, 5-A.

Margaret Roach, 6-B, 6-A, 7-B, principal.

PUGH.

Laura E. Durker, 1-B.

Gillian C. Kurtz, 1-B, 1-A.

Emily Entler, 2-B.

Hazel Augustine, 2-B, 2-A.

Katherine Fitzpatrick, 2-A, 3-B.

Roby McAmis, 3-B.

Alice Martin, 3-A, 4-B.

Lulu Espey, 4-B.

Eleanor Nighswonger, 5-A, 5-B.

Florence M. Flynn, 5-B, 5-A.

Mary V. Dunge, 5-A, 6-B.

May F. Boland, 6-B, principal.

RIVERSIDE.

Rose Boyer, 1-B.

Fay Cole, 1-B, 1-A.

Nelva Dine, 2-B, 2-A.

Mrs. Irene A. Lawson, 2-A, 3-B, 3-A.

Ethel Espey, 4-B, 4-A.

Grace Kershner, 5-B.

Alma Bauman, 5-A, 6-B.

Nellie Weller, 6-B, 6-A, principal.

ROACH.

Lulu Zollhofer, 1-B.

Anna D. Breese, 1-B, 1-A.

Minerva Merker, 2-B.

Mabel Matheny, 2-B, 2-A.

Nessie Foale, 3-B.

Mae Munhall, 3-A, 4-B.

Amy Woodson, 4-B, 4-A.

Clara George, 5-B, 5-A.

Bessie Vanneman, 6-B, 6-A, principal.

ULBRICH.

Laura Martin, 1-B, 1-A.

Marie Struble, 2-B, 2-A.

Nina Cozel, 3-B, 3-A.

Grace Hannon, 4-B, 4-A.

Julia McGuire, 5-B, 5-A.

Maude Vigles, 6-B, 6-A.

Mrs. Ella Hunter, 7-B, principal.

WARREN.

Laura Montgomery, 1-B.

Blanche Harris, 1-A, 2-B.

Janet Louden, 2-B, 2-A.

Beatrice Sanders, 3-B.

Alice Drobisch, 3-A.

Edith Irwin, 4-B.

Gertrude Heller, 4-A, 5-B.

Mattie Weddington, 5-B, 5-A.

Rose Bennett, 5-A, 6-B.

Jane MacMillan, 6-B, 6-A.

Mary H. Bland, 7-B, 7-A, principal.

ASSISTANTS TO PRINCIPALS.

Ina Cowan.

Julia Alexander.

UNGRADED ROOMS.

Mrs. Susie Kirk, special ungraded at Jackson.

Lotta Fobes, ungraded at Durfee.

Unassigned, ungraded at Jackson.

TEACHERS UNASSIGNED.

Clara Greaves.

Eloise Collins.

ENGINEERS AND JANITORS.

Dennis—George Rice.

Durfee—Everett Camp.

Durfee power plant—Albert Mann.

French—Henry Grebe.

Gastman—J. H. Riggs.

High—Elmer Schladerman, custodian, J. P. White, J. T. Biggers, R. W. Burnside, Amos Glatfelter.

Jackson—M. Janes.

Jasper—George Denney.

Lincoln—J. T. Sandersan.

Oakland—George Dial.

Oglesby—G. G. Anderson.

Pugh—William Hanta.

Riverside—Robert Burns.

Roach—T. E. Jackson.

Ulbrich—Roy Sowers.

Warren—Lewis Lynch.

Junior High—John Ehrhart.

Junior High power plant—Frank Velton, chief engineer, Harry Mann, first fireman.

Auto truck driver—C. A. Greenwood.

M'NEIL SISTERS TO VISIT DECATUR

Florence and Laura to Come From West This Fall.

The Misses Florence and Laura McNeil of Portland, Oregon, will visit in Decatur this fall. Miss Florence is believed to be on her way here as she was to leave on the first. Miss Laura will leave Portland about a week later.

Both the Misses McNeil are well known in Decatur. They are daughters of Archie McNeil at one time one of the best known engineers on the Wabash. Miss Laura was for several years in the Decatur public library. She is now in the Portland public library. Miss Laura was employed in the locomotive and car department of the Wabash as stenographer and was for a time city stenographer.

HIGHER PRICES FOR THE OYSTERS

Dealers Not Worried Because Seafood is Absent.

The first day of the first "R" month has come and gone and not an oyster is in town yet. Dealers have had their orders placed for several days. The fact is that dealers are not worried about the non-arrival of oysters since the weather has become hot again but they are disturbed by the price.

The quotations from Baltimore are 50 cents a gallon higher than they were last year. This means 12½ cents a quart or 6¼ cents a pint, but when it is translated into terms of prices on a restaurant bill of fare it may have a most depressing effect on our appetites for oysters.

"THE ANSWER," A VAUDEVILLE SKIT

Headlines Bill at Empress Theater.

Opening with a matinee today and two shows tonight the Empress will present a program of five acts headlined by Alfred White and Co. in a sketch entitled "The Answer." Tudor Cameron, assisted by Ruth Tufford will present a comedy offering, "The Extra Act." A novelty will be furnished by Valentine and Bell in their oddity "The Furniture Movers."

Lewis and Leopold styled themselves as "The Merry Men from Songland," and Retter Bros. will offer "The Man Who Wrestles with Himself." Three shows will be given Labor day. The headline act for Thursday will be "Lincoln of the U. S. A."

THE THEATRE

When Mary Pickford drives through the streets of San Francisco she is quite often accompanied by mounted police, for when she is recognized such crowds follow her that they quite often interfere with her work.

For the first time in history, the Department of the Interior has granted permission to a film company to stage a scene in one of the national parks. One of the scenes of Geraldine Farrar's new play, "The Woman God Forgot," was taken in the Yosemite National Park.

When Mae Murray becomes a star in the Bluebird films she will be introduced through a series of dances. Each dance will be accompanied by a chart fully explaining the steps and these charts will be given away at the theatres where the dances are shown.

Charles Kenyon, author of "Kindling," has written a play for the motion pictures, "On the Level," in which Fannie Ward will soon appear.

Mary Pickford has just finished the filming of "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," and it will be released within a month.

Everything else has been shown in the movies in the process of the making and now they are showing the making of a soldier. The new picture, "From Rookie to Regular," shows the Rookie from the time he arrives at the camp at Allentown, Pa., until he is ready to be sent to the front. This picture was taken at Allentown and all of the men were real rookies.

Scenes of recruiting on Fifth Avenue have been preserved for posterity in "The Mysterious Miss Terry," Billie Burke's first Paramount picture. A goodly portion of the film shows Miss Burke on top of a Fifth Avenue bus in midday. Halts were made at various points to get in celluloid the recruiting scenes and crowds along the avenue.

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The incorporation papers of the new company were filed some days ago at Springfield but none of the names appearing as incorporators were known in Decatur and it was generally understood that they were Chicago men.

BONDS TRADED

The deal was closed up Saturday night, the stock of the old concern transferred to the new, the $50,000 worth of bonds outstanding against the old M. & C. Coal company were traded for the same amount of bonds of the new company and an additional issue of $150,000 in second mortgage bonds issued.

No names are given out as to who the new stock holders are but it is generally understood that practically all of the old Decatur crowd has sold out and are no longer financially interested in the stock of the new company.

John F. Henry of Chicago capitalist and representative of other men made an offer some time ago for the property here and after several weeks of negotiations the deal was finally closed Saturday and the new owners are in possession.

RIDGLY REMAINS.

Temporarily W. S. Ridgly has consented to act as manager of the new corporation but it is understood to be only a temporary arrangement.

Mr. Ridgly said that he knew little of the future plans of the new owners except that they expected to put much more money into the business and re-equip it so that the tonnage may be largely increased. The new equipment will probably include a new power plant, motor car service in the mine, additional mine cars and larger facilities at the surface for handling the product.

It is not likely that any changes will be made in the office or other force of the old company.

The new company assumes all the existing contracts of the M. & C. Coal company.

NIANTIC COAL MINE IS SOLD

By J. M. Corzine for Over $10,000.

The Decatur Coal company completed during the past week a deal for the sale of its Niantic properties, the purchasers being Louis W. Sensenny and P. G. Mattenson of Springfield and Arthur L. Wilcoxson, a Chicago man. These three have been negotiating the mine for several weeks but the actual transfer did not occur until the latter part of the past week. The price was reported all the way from $10,000 to $20,000.

The property sold includes mine and about 200 acres in coal rights. Jesse M. Corzine is practically the owner of the company which sells the Niantic mine.

TO CHECK AUSTRIAN PEACE MOVEMENT

Copenhagen, Sept. 1.—A telegram received here from Vienna says that the German National League has demanded that the government take vigorous and unsparing measures to check the agitation for a separate peace by Austria. It is declared that the Germans in Austria will oppose to the last any proposal to cede Trentino and South Tyrol to Italy.

LIEUT. LEONARD VISITS DECATUR

Former Local Man Transferred to the U. S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Olds 1311 North Edward street have as their guests Mr. Olds' nephew and wife, Lieutenant and Mrs. R. O. Leonard formerly of Winnipeg, Canada. Lieutenant Leonard formerly of Decatur, went to Winnipeg and there enlisted in the Canadian army serving abroad. When the United States entered the war he desired to join the United States army and received his honorable discharge from the Canadian forces. Just a few days ago he received his commission as a lieutenant and will now see service in the United States dental corps.

GRANDSON KILLED BY AN AUTOMOBILE

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Newlin Called to Winona Lake, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Newlin living north of the city on the Huntington road have been called to Winona Lake, Ind. by the death of their grandson, Dwight Newlin, the little son of Lee and Mrs. O. A. Newlin. The boy was killed by an automobile. Mr. and Mrs. Newlin were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. L. K. Gregory. The boy was about twelve years of age.

Lee and Mrs. O. A. Newlin have hosts of friends in this vicinity who will regret to hear of the death of their son.

News from Sick Beds

Miss Jeannette Jones of West Main street is convalescing from an operation for the removal of her tonsils.

ENGINEER IS NEW PATROLMAN

O. C. CUNNINGHAM.

O. C. Cunningham who a few days ago was appointed a member of the Decatur police department is well known in the city, especially among railroad men and the traveling public. He was in the employ of the Wabash for fourteen years and for three years was president of J. M. Raymond lodge No. 40, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. He is also president of the Loyal Order of Moose, Decatur lodge No. 681. His home is at 1205 North Water street.

Scraps of News

The Alabama Southern Oil company in which a number of Macon county people are interested struck gas in their first well last week at 400 feet. The boring will be continued for oil.

LIFTING GARAGE

The American Hominy company is erecting a garage for its trucks at the North Water street plant.

HAVE REMOVED STEEPLE

The steeple on the German Methodist church on East North street has been taken down. It was in a dangerous condition and rather than repair it the front part was removed and a battlement put on the tower.

A LONG WAY FROM HOME

Two cars met out near Warrensburg one day last week. One was from Waco, Tex. and the other on its way to some place in Arizona.

LOS ANGELES CAR THROUGH

A car bound for Los Angeles Cal. stopped long enough to have the repairs made Saturday afternoon and then left for Springfield.

CLOSES AT NOON

The Y. M. C. A. will be open Monday morning until noon after which the building will be closed. The boys department will be closed all day.

NO LUNCH

The Y. W. C. A. cafeteria will be closed all day Monday, Labor Day. The Y. M. C. A. lunch room will close.

MRS. LOHNER RETURNS

Mrs. August Rohner returned Friday from Chicago where she attended the annual convention of the Fashion Art League of America. Mrs. Rohner is a member of the organization. She was in Chicago from Monday till Friday.

MISS BAILEY MOVES

Miss J. Pearl Bailey, who formerly resided at 148 West Macon, has moved to 412 W. Main in the Hinton Apartments and is living with a niece, Mrs. H. A. Stropes. Mrs. Mary Bailey, who is at the hospital is just about the same.

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cox, 928 West Olive street, Aug. 1, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Pete Jones, 351 North Fowler street, Saturday, Aug. 31, a daughter. She has been named Pauline Eunice. This is Mr. and Mrs. Jones' fifth child. They have one boy at Longcliffe. Mr. Jones passed the examination for the army Aug. 7 but was excused on account of his family.

U. of I. Graduate in Draft Service

RALPH E. HINSTEDT.

Ralph E. Hinstedt of Hoods No. 412 in the draft for federal military service has successfully passed the physical examination and expects to leave for camp soon. He is a graduate of the University of Illinois and of the University of Chicago Law school. At the time of the draft he was superintendent of the Central Community Chautauquas at Indianapolis. He was also a frequent speaker in the University of Minnesota.

SEES WOMEN IN HARVEST FIELDS

O. H. Whitsitt Back from Auto Trip.

Women laboring in the harvest fields alongside men is a common sight in Iowa, according to O. H. Whitsitt, 1101 North Edward street, who with his family returned Friday night from an automobile trip through Illinois, Iowa and both Dakotas. The party consisting of seven persons was gone from Decatur three weeks. They covered a distance of 1,800 miles and while they had some tribulations common to motorists traveling with good sized loads they enjoyed the trip.

As usual the Whitsitts report that the Illinois road were the worst they encountered on the entire trip. On the last day Friday they had seven punctures. The day before they turned out with the Ford in a streak having three blowouts on one wheel but different tires. They started out with a new set of tires all around but when they returned every tire was well worn.

NEW TRAIL

On the return trip the Whitsitts took over a new trail from Burlington to Decatur and while the road is new it will soon be a much travelled route as it is the most direct way to reach Burlington.

Mr. Whitsitt says that the crop prospects in Iowa and the northern part of Illinois are about as good as in Central Illinois and everyone he talked with is looking for bumper yields.

While visiting William Vroman Mrs. Whitsitt's brother, who is superintendent of the Minnesota state hospital at Rochester, Minn. building struck the large dry barns at the hospital entailing a loss of $3,000. The hospital is one of the largest in the northwest.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

George D. Bort and Amanda M. Hilliard, both of Decatur.

Richard Kelly, Decatur, and Lena Fischel, Decatur.

Melvin [illegible], Decatur, and Cassie Lucille Yaskow, Decatur.

Noel E. Morris, Decatur, and Ora Freeman, Decatur.

Michael Beckert, Decatur, and Lena Mae Cross, Decatur.

Dale E. Pratt, Macon, and Mae Little, of Macon.

Local Notices.

Shallenberger's Union Barber Shop Under Millikin Bank.

The place to have your work done. Hair cuts 25c, shave 15c.

H. J. Johnson painter and decorator. Phone 3025. 746 N. Pine.

BOB SATILEY TEACHES PHYSICAL CULTURE AT HIS RESIDENCE, 460 N. WATER.

Beyond question Browns is the school for you to attend.

—CLIMAX and IDEAL furnaces. Easy terms. Bairinger Hardware Co.

What is the difference between your present salary and the salary you might be earning if you were a graduate of the Combined Course at Browns Business College?

Spring chicken with cream gravy for dinner today at Singleton's Cafe.

Dr. Elmer Martin osteopath, 8 5th floor Powers bldg. Both phones.

A Rogers taxi is clean. Careful responsible drivers. Immediate answer to calls. Bell 406.

Don't forget the benefit dance Labor Day, Sept. 3, afternoon and evening, given by Ladies Auxiliary to B. of R. T. at Fairies park.

Wabash Supply Men Local 14181 meet at Interurban station Monday morning between 7 and 8 for Bloomington. (Signed) Committeemen.

GO TO SCHOOL MONDAY.

—to the Brown School where you will be instructed by experienced teachers in Bookkeeping, Shorthand and all business branches. Give us an opportunity to explain to you how we have helped young people to increase their earning power from twenty to one-hundred per cent. Enroll Monday. Day or evening session.

DR. A. A. GILDBERG,

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NOTICE TO MACHINISTS

All members are requested to be present at their hall at 8 0 Wednesday evening to take part in the parade. (Signed) Clerk.

BROWNS NIGHT SCHOOL

—opens Monday and Wednesday evenings. Excellent opportunities for those who work during the day to get a better education. Regular teachers in charge. Individual instruction when needed. Make your registrations this week.

VETERAN MUELLER EMPLOYE DEAD

Fred Behrend Members of St. Johannes.'

Fred Behrend died at 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the family home, 1017 North Fairview street, after an illness of four years with complications of diseases. He had been confined to his bed for ten weeks. He was sixty-five years old last fall. Mr. Behrend was one of the best known men on the west side of Decatur. He was born in Germany July 18. He had lived in Decatur for thirty-four years and for many years was employed at the Mueller factory.

He was a prominent member of St. Johannes German Lutheran church and had many friends. He is survived by his wife, Amelia, and the following children: Mrs. Fred Kirshmerz of Decatur, Mrs. Edward Cox of Peoria, Henry Behrend, Miss Martha Behrend, Miss Clara Behrend and Miss Margaret Behrend, all of Decatur. He also leaves one brother, August Behrend, and two sisters, Mrs. Chris Augustine and Mrs. Caroline Boettcher, both of Decatur.

The funeral will probably be held Tuesday.

OTHER DEATHS.

Miss Ella Matilda Farrell of Lake City died at 11 o'clock Saturday morning after a protracted illness resulting from heart trouble. Miss Farrell was born in Virginia, Ill., March 17, 1879, and moved to Lake City when she was about seventeen years old. She spent the remainder of her life on a farm near Lake City. She was a member of the Methodist church at Mount Zion and had been an active religious worker.

She is survived by one brother, Farnell Farrell of Lake City and one sister, Mrs. Anna J. Page of Decatur. Funeral services will be held Monday morning at 11 o'clock from the First Presbyterian church in Mt. Zion. Burial will be held in the Mt. Zion cemetery.

STADLER DELIVERS TO MANY TOWNS

How Use of Motor Trucks Has Helped Business.

Harry Stadler of the Stadler-Robertson Furniture company, Saturday compiled a list of towns in the vicinity of Decatur to which his firm had delivered goods during the month of August. The list follows:

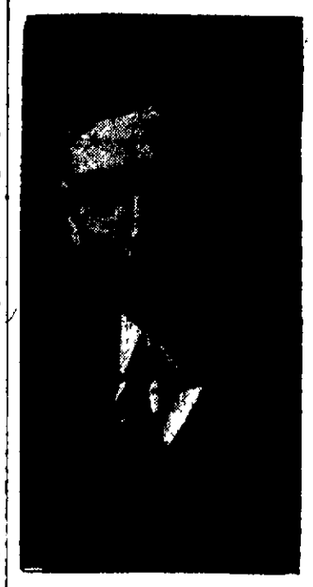
Atwood	Argenta
Cisco	Mowequa
Macon	Elwin
Niantic	Harristown
Cerro Gordo	Maroa
Forsyth	Mount Zion

"We have found delivery by trucks highly satisfactory and profitable," said Mr. Stadler Saturday. "Buyers in neighboring towns are glad to take advantage of the prices offered in Decatur if the goods can be delivered to them without extra cost. We are getting good business from nearby towns and expect to get more it offers a big field."

Economics Club Meeting.

On account of the fact that Monday, Sept. 3, is Labor Day, the meeting of the Economics Club has been postponed until Monday, Sept. 10. The club will meet with Mrs. Henry Munson, 1267 West Macon street.

Expects Soon to Leave for France



ROY E. BABCOCK.

Roy E. Babcock, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Babcock, of near Oreana, enlisted in the army at the Decatur recruiting station July 20 and was sent to Jefferson Barracks, at St. Louis where he remained for three weeks in preliminary training before being sent to Gettysburg, Pa., where he is now stationed with Co. K., 59th U. S. Inf.

Babcock is very well known in the vicinity of Oreana as he had lived there practically all of his life up until the time of his enlistment. He expects that his regiment will be a part of the First American Expeditionary Force and says that it is expected that the men will move toward the seaboard within the next few days.

BEMENT BOY IS BADLY INJURED

Elmer Boucha May Lose Both Legs.

Elmer Boucha aged ten years of Bement had both of his legs crushed so that amputation will probably be necessary. Saturday afternoon about 4 o'clock at Bement when he jumped off a Illinoisze train directly in the path of a Wabash passenger No. 1 south.

The boy had been playing on the Illinoisze track in front of the station and as the train pulled in the station master called to the boy to jump off the track. Instead of jumping towards the platform he jumped toward the railroad tracks and was struck by No. 1.

THROUGH TO DECATUR

First aid was given the boy and he was brought to Decatur on No. 11. Dawson's ambulance took the boy to the Decatur and Macon County hospital where his condition was pronounced as serious. Saturday night. It is thought that Dr. Martin Martin who was in charge of No. 1 stopped the train within half a car length after the boy had been struck. The boy's life was saved.

The accident occurred in front of Lyle Lindley's home. Mr. and Mrs. Lindley witnessed the accident.

DELAY INSTALLING THREE-SHIFT PLAN

Action Will Probably Not Be Taken for Two Weeks or More.

[illegible] three-shift system [illegible] Sept. 1 but due in part to the condition of shops in Decatur it will be practically impossible to put the shift in operation.

[illegible] installation will probably be delayed about two weeks or more, according to Mr. [illegible].

The new system [illegible] Sept. 1 [illegible] in the shops of the company [illegible] that it will be practically impossible to put the shift in operation.

H. H. CAUDILL TO ARKANSAS

H. H. Caudill for the past six months secretary of the Decatur Y. M. C. A. resigned his work to accept a position as secretary of the association at Newport, Ark. In announcing the resignation of Mr. Caudill officials of the Decatur Y. M. C. A. said that Mr. Caudill has entered Camp Y. M. C. A. work.

During the five months which he has been in charge of the Decatur Y. M. C. A. Mr. Caudill has secured Mr. Douglas Stormont who is now secretary there. Mr. Caudill was formerly a teacher in Browns Business college.

ABANDON MAIL TRANSFER

Mattoon, Sept. 1.—The railway mail transfer station in this city is to be abandoned, it is learned this is a statement made yesterday and the clerk of this department on a train leaving Mattoon by the clerks in the local postoffice.

Wall E. Wilson who has spent thirty years in the U. S. mail service will be affected which is expected to be within days or two. He has been offered a position in the mail service in Chicago but will not likely accept the place.

RAILROAD GOSSIP

Dan Meyers, veteran baggage master on the Wabash system and his wife and daughters left Saturday morning for Nashville, Tenn. for a week's visit with relatives. Henry Zimmerman is in charge of the station during the absence of the baggage master.

Earl M. Meyers, chief clerk in the division freight office, who has been on a vacation for the past two weeks returned to Decatur Saturday morning. He spent the larger part of his vacation with relatives in Lafayette, Ind., but found time to visit in some of the cities in Ohio.

Lloyd E. Spangle, traveling freight agent for the Decatur division freight office of the Wabash and his family left Saturday for Toledo, O., where they will spend the week end visiting.

Albert S. Crabb, stenographer in the Wabash division freight office left Saturday for Chicago where he will stay for nearly two weeks.

New assignments for passenger and freight engine men of the Wabash were published Saturday morning. The new assignments have a few minor changes in the schedules.

MEETINGS

L. N. A. Regular meeting of Olive Branch camp No. 218 at 8 o'clock Monday evening at the K. P. hall, Powers building. The Liberty Bell drill will be held at 7 o'clock sharp for practice.

MARKETS

CONSUMER IS STILL IN DARK

On Meat and Potatoes, Says H. I. Baldwin.

H. I. Baldwin in his weekly grain letter says:

With the establishment yesterday of the prices to be paid by the government wheat buyers, we are now able to form some idea of the cost of bread during the coming winter. The consumer now knows about what it will cost him to eat bread and keep warm but is still in the dark as to how much money it will be necessary for him to spend for meat and potatoes.

Reserves of old corn are pretty well exhausted. Some new corn raised south of the Ohio river will show up in northern markets late in this month. Under existing railroad and weather conditions it seems unlikely that normal stocks of corn will accumulate at market centers until very late in December. The present understanding is that the United States will export more flour and less wheat, this should make mill feeds abundant which with cheap oats should somewhat ease up the feeding demand for corn.

SLOW THRESHING.

Oats threshing has progressed slowly between showers this week. Probably one third of the Illinois crop is still standing in the shock. We hear of no loss in bushels yet, but oats now in the shock are certainly one grade lower in quality than when first cut.

Farmers have been slow sellers of oats and dealers in the main have been satisfied to go ahead and fill old contracts rather than make new ones.

Peoria Cash Market.

Peoria, Sept. 1.—CORN—Market 5 cents higher. No. 2 mixed No. 2 mixed and No. 6 mixed $2.07. No. 3 mixed, $2.06. No. 6 mixed $2.03.

OATS—Market unchanged to ½ cent higher. No. 2 white, 57@57½c. No. 3 white 56½@57c. No. 4 white 56½c.

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—WHEAT.—No. 2 red, No. 1 red, No. 2 hard, No. 3 hard nominal.

CORN—No. 2 yellow $2.10. No. 3 yellow nominal. No. 4 yellow nominal.

OATS—No. 1 white 57c. No. 3 standard 55@56½c.

RYE—Nominal.

BARLEY—$1.10@1.28.

timothy—$4.00@8.00.

CLOVER—$15.00@20.00.

PORK—$41.50.

LARD—$23.77.

RIBS—$23.57@24.00.

New York Money.

New York, Sept. 1.—Mercantile paper 4½ per cent.

Bar silver 99c.

Mexican dollars 71c.

People You Know

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Armstrong and Mrs. D. C. Bristol of 556 East Center street motored to Terre Haute, Saturday. Mrs. Forrest Acton accompanied them as far as Paris to visit friends.

Mrs. Lillian Vaughn 602 East Eldorado street, left Friday afternoon to visit her parents in Louisville, Ky.

John Cress and daughter left Saturday morning for West Baden, Ind. for Mr. Cress' health. Mr. Cress conducts the City bakery at 720 East Eldorado street. They will also visit relatives in Cincinnati and Hamilton before returning in two weeks.

Mrs. R. L. Lynch 158 East Prairie avenue and her daughter Rosemary have gone to St. Louis for a visit.

Mrs. Charles Buckman and sons Fremont and Eugene of Stewart avenue left for Chicago, Saturday where they will make their home. Mr. Buckman has been in Chicago for about three months where he has a fine position.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Mills and daughter Virginia of Indianapolis, are visiting Rev. I. H. Shues and family, 17 West Eldorado street for a week. Mr. Mills is employed in the general offices of the Northwestern at Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weinbreck of Terre Haute are visiting with Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilson 876 North Edward street.

Mrs. L. Miles of Chicago and grandson Stewart Miley of Denver have returned home after a pleasant visit with Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Buffington.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Bradfield, I. S. McRoberts, Mrs. H. M. Bragg and Miss Lucile Bragg have returned from Mason City, Ia., where they attended the funeral of Samuel J. Kinhart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinhart.

Dr. Earl I. Dunkall of Chicago is visiting his mother, Mrs. Alvira Dunkall, 944 North Water street.

PANA MINER CRUSHED BY FALL OF COAL

Pana, Sept. 1.—John Rocholt, a miner employed at Pennville's mine was injured by a fall of coal while at work in the mine Saturday.

Rocholt's injuries consist of a fracture of the spine in two places and total paralysis as a result developed immediately. He was taken to the Huber Memorial hospital and his death is expected at any time. He is 41 years of age.

Two Philadelphia spinsters to appear younger changed the age record in the family Bible and thus rendered the boys of the family eligible for the draft, until the sisters confessed.

CORN MARKET CLOSES LOWER

Buying Mainly on Resting Orders on Dull Day.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—Corn futures showed an easy tone today. Holders of abundant stocks offered freely and shorts seemed to have satisfied their wants. Pre-holiday dullness prevailed in view of the two days' closing over Labor day. The buying was mainly on resting orders. The close was weak ⅛ cent to 1⅛ cent lower with December at $1.11⅛ to 1.11⅛, and May at $1.07⅝. Oats finished ⅛ cent to ¼ cent lower. Provisions advanced with a firm undertone, and a moderate shipping demand.

FEDERAL BUYING OF WHEAT

There were little offers of cash wheat and a fair demand, with some sales above the government price limit. The government will not be in the market buying and selling until next Tuesday, and sales to millers will probably begin Sept. 10.

No deliveries of wheat on September contracts were recorded today. Sales aggregated 25,000.

There was a slow cash demand for corn, but receipts were small and prices advanced somewhat. No. 3 yellow selling at $2.10. Evening-up trades over the holidays were a feature in the cash oats market. Seaboard demand was slow and offerings were plentiful. Cash sales aggregated 215,000 bushels.

Packers were the principal buyers of provisions, and product prices advanced, closing about the top. Strength of the hog market continued to be the controlling factor.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Ware & Leland.)

Chicago, Sept. 1.—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

	Open	High	Low	Close	Yes.
CORN—					
Dec.	112¼@112¼	112¼	111¼	111⅛	112¼
May	108⅝@108⅝	108⅝	107½	107⅝	108⅝
OATS—					
Sep.	56⅝@ 58	56⅝	55⅝	56⅛	56⅝
Dec.	56½@ 56¼	56½	55½	55⅝	56⅝
May	59½@ 59	59½	58⅝	58	59⅝
PORK—					
Sep.					4355
Oct.	4360@	4 40	4335	4360	4365
LARD—					
Sep.	2382@ 2390	2 32	2360	2372	2387
Oct.	@	2400	2390	2397	2397
RIBS—					
Sep.	2377@	2380	2375	2377	2375
Oct.	2380@	2382	2375	2375	2382

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Sept. 1.—WHEAT.—Not quoted.

CORN—No. 3 yellow $2.00@2.03.

OATS—No. 3 white 57@58½c.

FLAX—$3.27@3.30.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—Demand for hogs was keened toward the close of today's trading and prices advanced some, although remaining generally 10 cents higher than yesterday's average. Supplies were light in quality and sheep but the demand was not impressive.

HOGS.—Receipts 26,000 head; estimated receipts for Monday 19,000 head; left over 5,000 head; market 10@15c higher than Saturday's average; bulk of sales $18.25@18.55; light $17.90@18.75; mixed $18.25@18.75; heavy $18.30@18.75; rough $18.25@18.40; pigs $13.00@17.00.

CATTLE.—Receipts 7,000 head; market steady. Beeves $8.00@19.00; heifers $7.00@12.40; stockers and feeders $7.00@12.85; bulls $6.50@8.50; calves $7.00@13.25.

SHEEP.—Receipts 200 head; market strong. Lambs $16.25@17.40; yearlings $10.50@12.50; wethers $9.50@11.50; ewes $9.00@10.50.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Indianapolis, Sept. 1.—Hog receipts 5,500 head; market 25 to 35 cents lower. All weights $18.50. Cattle receipts 400 head; market dull and weak.

Cleveland Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Cleveland, Sept. 1.—Bower & Bower report hog receipts 250 head; $18.75@19.00. Market for cattle and lambs steady; receipts light; calves market lower; top $16.00; receipts 250 head.

New York Produce.

New York, Sept. 1.—BUTTER.—Receipts 7,005 tubs. Creamery, higher than extras, 41@44½c; extras 92 score 43½c; firsts 41@42c; seconds 37@41c.

EGGS.—Market irregular. Receipts 7,786 cases. Fresh gathered extras 46@47c; extra firsts 42@43c; firsts 39@41c; seconds 36@38c.

CHEESE.—Market firm. Receipts 3,464. Lower State whole milk, flats, fresh specials 24@24½c; do average run 23½@24c.

POULTRY.—Market for live poultry firm. Chickens, 2 lbs. 35c; fowls 28@30c; turkeys 18c. Market for dressed poultry firm. Chickens 31@35c; fowls 28@30c; turkeys 18@[illegible].

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—BUTTER.—Receipts 10,290 tubs. Creamery 38@41½c.

EGGS.—Receipts 7,716 cases; market unchanged.

POTATOES.—Receipts 1 car; market higher. Jersey, bulk $1.75@1.85. Missouri, bulk $1.00@1.10.

POULTRY.—Market for live poultry unchanged.

Elgin Butter.

Elgin, Sept. 1.—BUTTER.—Market 41½c; no sales.

St. Louis Cash Market.

St. Louis, Sept. 1.—WHEAT.—Market steady. Track No. 2 red $2.19@2.22. No. 2 hard $2.18.

CORN.—Market steady. Track No. 2 [illegible] No. 2 yellow [illegible] September, $1.07. December $1.10½.

OATS.—Market steady. Track No. 2 [illegible] No. 2 white, 57½@58c September, 58c.

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GET PICTURE OF SON IN UNIFORM

First Parents Learn Positively of Their Son's Enlistment.

Mt. Pulaski, Sept. 1.—Millard Mason, eighteen years old last April, left Mt. Pulaski two years ago for Iowa. From there he went to Colorado. Last January his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mason, now farming near Latham, began to receive letters from him with army postmarks, but they did not know where he was located until this week when he wrote to a friend in Mt. Pulaski from San Diego, Cal. In the letter was a picture of himself and Clem Mercher. The picture shows the young man in the regulation army clothes and the letter states that young Mason is a bugler in Company M Twenty-first Infantry.

Mason is well known in Mt. Pulaski and vicinity, he having been around here ever since he was five years old. Judging from the smile on his face army life has not robbed him of any of the happy go lucky spirit with which he was always blessed. He says he likes army life and advises his young men of Mt. Pulaski, who want to see the world and have a good time to join the army and that he would recommend the infantry as the best branch of the service.

The young man on the left is young Mercher, the companion is not known here but looks like he is a good fellow.

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Now if you can take a $10.00 bill and buy an $18.00 value, it is economical buying.

But how are you to know if it is **really worth** $18.00? Why, by comparing the same make, same size of stove with our slightly used one.

We ask you to take no chances on buying a patched up stove that will disappoint you in service. There is as much difference in stoves as anything else and we offer you all kinds of stoves from the best to the poorest, and the prices are in proportion to grade and service the stove will render.

Do not wait till your neighbor shows you his stove bargain and then rush in to get one like his, but be one of the first ones while the "picking is good."

M. A. Peabody

121-9 E. NORTH.

URGES PROMPT LOADING OF CARS

Santa Fe Tacks Patriotic Poster on Cars.

The Santa Fe railroad is carrying a direct appeal to their shippers for assistance in utilizing their cars to the best advantage, in the form of a red, white and blue poster twelve by eighteen inches which is tacked on every Santa Fe freight car.

The appeal is worded as follows:

LOAD ME QUICKLY.
LOAD ME TO CAPACITY.
UNLOAD ME PROMPTLY,
AND
HELP WIN THE WAR.

Operating officials throughout the country realize the vital importance of freight cars in the conduct of the war and they have made repeated appeals to their shippers, and their warehousemen and operating employes to cut down the waste in the use of cars as far as possible.

The directness of the appeal of the Santa Fe is without a parallel in railroad circles, and shows to what extent the car shortage is being felt by the railroads themselves.

MAXEY M. SUGG TO BE MANAGER

Maxey M. Sugg, a Junior in the James Millikin university is to be the new business manager of the Decaturian, of the James Millikin university paper for the coming year. Sugg expects to receive his appointment within the next few days to his office. The vacancy was created by the withdrawal of Homer Parkhill, who was chosen business manager last spring.

John H. Leek, editor in chief of the Decaturian arrived in Decatur the latter part of the week, to superintend the publication of the opening number of the Decaturian, and also to outline the work for the year with his business manager.

MAKES THE BAKERS FEEL BETTER

Hoover's Statement That Bread Will Not Sell for 5 Cents.

Agents for flour mills report that the mills have as yet made no prices on the product based on the new wheat ruling.

One man who sells for several mills states that he is expecting instructions as to price almost any time now.

His opinion is that prices to bakers will be in the neighborhood of $10 a barrel. They buy in the large sacks and the additional cost of sacks on that size, while an item, is not so great as that of the smaller packages bought for domestic use, the fifty and 25 pound size. He looks for flour to retail about $3.25 for a fifty pound sack.

Grain men are not looking for instructions from their customers until after next Tuesday when, it is announced, the committee will try to work out the different scales relating to grades, commissions, etc.

It is, however, generally agreed that the price for good wheat in central Illinois will be right at $2 a bushel.

The bakers are feeling better since Hoover has stated that a full pound loaf will sell probably for a dime, and not that a 14-ounce loaf will sell for five cents.

Danville News—So far as known no Wall street man has claimed exemption from draft because of agricultural pursuits, even though they have been engaged in watering the stock

Let Us Make Your Eyes More Efficient

If you do not enjoy normal vision—if the delicate nerve and muscle machinery of your eyes is not at rest while you work and read—the necessary glasses or the necessary change of lenses should be made at once. The right lens will correct the defects of each eye. They will place the delicate nerve and muscle in restful balance—they will give your eyes the power to focus quickly, accurately and comfortably. A few dollars invested in scientifically prescribed glasses will pay a big dividend in comfort, protection and eye sight efficiency.

Weatherby & Weatherby
THE OPTICAL SHOP

Morning Basement Bargains.

—No. 1 size galvanized wash tubs, worth 89c each; Stewart's price for Monday selling, each, **78c**

—50-ft. length of 5-ply garden hose, a hose that will render long service; $5 value for only .. **$3.98**

—Monday we will sell and deliver with other purchases only, six bars of Lenox laundry soap for **25c**

The Stewart Dry Goods Co

Decatur's Busy Store Always the Lowest Prices
227-235 N. Water St. Decatur Ills.

Morning Basement Bargains.

—Mason Fruit Jars, in the pint size; Stewart's price, the lowest of the season; Monday only, a dozen ... **58c**

—Mason Fruit Jars, in the qt. size; Stewart's name the lowest price in all Decatur; Monday only, a dozen . **62c**

—Stone combinets in large size with covers and bails, regular 75c values for Monday selling only at each **49c**

Big Bargains Monday--8 To 12 O'clock

—Monday is Labor Day, and in accordance with our usual custom, the store will close at noon. This means that an entire day's business must be crowded into the four morning hours. To make this possible every department comes to the front with Monday morning bargains of the most sensational nature. The newest Fall merchandise substantially underpriced and what remains of summer goods will almost be given away. Come to Stewart's Monday morning if you want bargains—REAL BARGAINS. The earlier you come the better. We expect a tremendous rush.

PETTICOATS

—White cambric petticoats, lace and embroidery trimmed; lengths, 36, 38 and 40. Regular $1.50 and $1.95 values Monday morning, choice **$1**

Up To $10 Coats, $4.95

—We have hanging on one rack in our ready-to-wear department just 25 high class, nobby sport coats that will go to the first 25 women Monday morning at an unheard of sacrifice. These are in weights, styles and patterns suitable for Fall wear. All with large collars, belts and sport pockets. Materials are brown and green plaid velours, white chinchillas trimmed with rose, gold or black, corduroys and black and white chinchillas. Smart, serviceable coats that actually sold up to $10, while they last, choice **4.95**

Up To $10 Dresses, $2.50

—The most sensational bargain in women's and misses' wash dresses ever known in our store. All this season's prettiest model, made of white voiles, silk striped voiles, navy and black plaid silk mulls, plaid French ginghams, voile and gingham combinations. Included are some Russian smock blouse 2-piece suits in all white, trimmed in colors, also of woven check madras. Wash dresses and suits—in sizes from 16 to 44—that have been the most popular sellers up to $10—the entire lot Monday morning, each **2.50**

$1.75 Sateen Petticoats $1

—Womens elegant Dolly Varden figured sateen petticoats with elastic tops; pretty pink designs on black grounds. Lengths from 36 to 42 Regular price $1.75. Special for Monday morning, choice, **$1**

$1.00 Middy Blouses 50c

—Ten dozen smart middy blouses, made of Lonsdale Jeans and trimmed with tan or blue at collars and cuffs. Lace front styles with long sleeves. Regular price $1. Sizes 14 to 20 Monday morning at **50c**

$1.69 Breakfast Sets, $1

—15 dozen women's neat two-piece breakfast sets, made of striped, figured and polka dot percales; jackets and skirts to match All sizes. Regular $1.69 values for Monday morning the set, **$1**

$1.50 Wash Skirts, 75c.

—One big lot of women's tub skirts made of white gabardines and piques; also a few tan sport skirts with figured designs. Waist bands 25 to 36. Regular $1.25 and $1.50 skirts, Monday each, **75c**

50c Sateen Bloomers 35c

—Well made black sateen bloomers — cut good and roomy —made of an elegant quality of sateen, in sizes 6 to 14 years. Regular price 50c. Monday morning only they go at, a pair **35c**

79c Corset Covers, 50c

—Ten dozen women's fine longcloth and soft cambric corset covers, all daintily trimmed with lace and embroidery front and back. Sizes 36 to 46. 79c values for Monday morning only, each **50c**

Four-Hour Sale—Children's School Dresses

—Here is your opportunity to buy school dresses for less than you would pay for the goods.

Regular 79c Children's Dresses for 49c.

—Children's perfect fitting dresses—in sizes 2 to 6 and 6 to 12—made of ginghams in checks, stripes and chambra combinations. 79c and 89c values Monday morning **49c**

$1.75 Children's Dresses for, 98c.

A wonderful lot of children's dresses made of plaid, checked and striped ginghams and plain chambras. Sizes 6 to 14 years. You couldn't buy the materials for 98c. Regular $1.25 to $1.75 values, choice **98c**

$2.50 Children's Dresses for $1.50.

—Here are beautiful dresses made of Tussah and French ginghams in rich plaids, checks and stripes. All exceptionally well made, in sizes 6 to 14 years. Genuine $1.95, $2.25 and $2.50 dresses, choice **$1.50**

A Sensational 4-Hour Sale of Silks, Woolens and Wash Fabrics

39c Striped Suiting, 25c.

—One lot of handsome 34-inch striped suitings and skirtings; also some in wheel and dot designs. Regular 39c values Monday morning, yard **25c**

39c Shepherd Checks, 29c.

—Six pieces only of 34-inch black and white Shepherd Checks—all size checks—for skirts and dresses and children's wear. 39c values, a yard **29c**

39c Dress Poplins, 29c.

—20 pieces of elegant 27-inch dress poplins—a splendid fast color material for children's school wear. Regular 39c values, a yard **29c**

Silk Poplins, $1 a Yard.

—10 pieces of exquisite silk poplin in gray, rose, plum, navy, Danish blue and other good shades. Special Monday morning, a yard **$1**

Black Messalines, $1.

—Two full bolts of rich black messaline silk—36 inches wide—with a fine, high lustre finish. Monday morning only, a yard **$1**

52-In. Broadcloths, $1.

—Several full pieces of 52-inch Broadcloth—good weight—fine finish—in gray, brown, navy, wine, black. Special Monday morning, a yard **$1**

Store-Crowding Half Day Bargains For Economical Housekeepers

TABLE LINEN.

—20 pieces of elegant mercerized table damask; pure white; worth on present market 45c a yard. Stewart's price for Monday selling, a yard, **29c**

TABLE LINEN.

—15 pieces of fine 72-inch mercerized table damask excellent quality, worth 75c a yard on today's market. Stewart's price Monday, a yard, **59c**

TABLE CLOTHS.

—Upwards of 10 dozen round - scalloped, mercerized table cloths also hemstitched cloths. Regular $1.50 table cloths at Stewart's Monday, **$1**

TOWELINGS.

—50 pieces of bleached and unbleached crash toweling; part linen weft. Actually worth 15c a yard. Stewart's break all records Monday, a yard, **10c**

TOWELINGS.

—50 full pieces of nice cotton roller and dish toweling; excellent values at 8½c a yard. A big bargain for Monday selling only, a yd., **6c**

TURK. TOWELS.

—100 dozen extra large size Turkish towels; splendid values, regular at 25c each. Stewart's cut the price for Monday selling, limit 6, each, **18c**

MUSLINS.

—50 full pieces of the best 17c grade of full bleached, yard wide muslin; nice soft finish. To break all records Monday, EIGHT YARDS, **$1**

MUSLINS.

—100 full pieces of ¾ brown muslin—good weight—nice, soft finish—worth 15c a yard —Stewart's price, for Monday TEN YDS. for **$1**

BED SPREADS.

—25 dozen large size, extra fine crochet bed spreads; pearl hemmed; genuine $1.50 values, to break all sales records Monday, limit 2, each, **$1**

SHEETINGS.

—50 pieces of an elegant quality of 8-4 bleached sheeting, worth 42c a yard. Stewart's price for Monday selling, a yard, **35c**

BED SHEETS.

—50 dozen full bleached, ready-made bed sheets, 72 by 90 size, worth regularly 89c each. Stewart's cut the price for Monday selling, each, **75c**

BED SHEETS.

—50 dozen 81 by 90 full bleached, ready-made, seamless bed sheets, with soft linen finish. Regular $1.25 values at Stewart's, Monday, **98c**

PILLOW CASES.

—100 dozen full bleached, ready made pillow cases; 42 by 36 cases, in regular 40c a pair values. Stewart's for these Monday, at each **15c**

FLANNELS.

—100 pieces of high grade, fancy outing flannels; you will pay 18c a yard for these this Fall. Come Monday and buy eight yards for, **$1**

GINGHAMS.

—100 pieces of apron check and fancy plaid, checked and striped dress ginghams; actually worth 18c a yard. At Stewart's Monday, a yard, **12½c**

PERCALES.

—5,000 yards of light and dark double fold percales; all new patterns. The standard 15c quality on present market, Monday, EIGHT YARDS, **$1**

$1.50 Blankets $1

—Upwards of 100 pairs of 10-4 cotton fleeced bed blankets, with pretty fancy colored borders. Blankets actually worth $1.50 a pair. Stewart's price for August Sale, a pair **$1**

$2 Blankets $1.69

—Upwards of 200 pairs of big 11-4 warm fleeced bed blankets—grey and tan—with fancy colored borders. Excellent values at $2 a pair. Stewart's price for August Sale, a pair **1.69**

$4 Blankets $2.69

—Upwards of 200 pairs of heavy Woolnap Plaid blankets—extra large size. They will sell for $4.00 a pair later. Come and buy blankets now. Stewart's sale price, a pair **$2.69**

$7 Blankets $4.95

—100 pairs of beautiful plaid and plain, all-wool bed blankets; extra large size. Actually worth $7.50 a pair. Think of buying wool blankets during this sale, a pair **$4.95**

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